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# BULBS, PLANTS, ETC.

With Directions for the Culture and Management of Bulbous Roots.



Flowers from Bulbous Roots.

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# HARDY SPRING FLOWERING BULBOUS ROOTS.

### THEIR NATURE AND TREATMENT.

PLANTED FROM OCTOBER TO DECEMBER.

Bulbs belong to a particular division of the vegetable kingdom; they are all, with scarcely a single exception, very ornamental, and hence desirable for the very large size of their flower in proportion to the entire plant, and for the brilliancy of their colors. By far the greater number of bulbs flower in the spring, and produce their flower stems immediately after they begin to grow; and shortly after they have flowered they cease growing and remain dormant and without leaves during the remainder of the year; hence, almost all bulbs require to be planted in the autumn-a fact which most amateurs are apt to overlook, and frequently send their orders out of season. They require a free, dry and somewhat rich soil. into which the roots may penetrate freely. A bulb is essentially a bud, and contains within itself the germs of the leaves and flowers which are to be produced the following season: thus, in one sense, they are of more easy culture than any other class of plants, because the germ being previously formed, and the nourishment being provided in the body of the bulb. it is only necessary to supply heat and moisture to cause them to develop; this is fully exemplified in the Hyacinth, Narcissus, Crocus, early Tulip, and some other bulbs, which can be flowered when placed over water in glasses or in wet moss. The Hyacinth is the especial favorite for forcing in glasses, and full directions for their management will be found under the head of Hyacinths.

SOIL.—The proper compost for Hyacinths, Tulips, Crown Imperials, Iris, Ranunculus, Anemones, Crocus, and many other bulbs, is the following: one-third sand, one-third well-rotted cow manure, and one-third good garden mould.

TIME OF PLANTING.—The preferable season for planting all hardy bulbs is from October to December; but they can be set out at any later time, so long as the bulbs remain sound and the ground is not frozen.

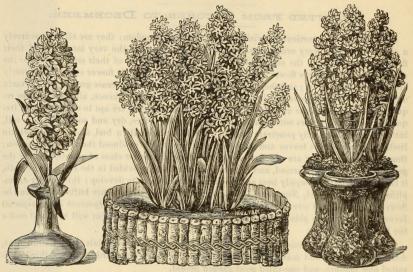
DEPTH AND DISTANCE.—Hyacinths, large Lilies and Pæonias, should be planted at the depth of four inches; Crown Imperials and Polyanthus Narcissus, five inches; Tulips, Double Narcissus, Jonquils and Colchicums, three inches; Bulbous Iris, Crocus, small Fritillarias, Gladiolus Byzantinus and Snowdrops, two inches; Ranunculus and Anemones, one inch; always measuring from the top of the bulb. The rows should be about ten inches apart, and the bulbs to be placed from four to eight inches apart in the rows, according to their size. As cold freezing weather approaches, give the bed a good covering of leaves, hay, old manure or tan, to prevent the frost from penetrating to the bulbs. Early in the spring, as soon as the shoots are pushing through it, the covering should be carefully removed, and the earth slightly stirred with a garden fork.

TAKING UP AND PRESERVING.—Take up Bulbous Roots about a month after the blossom is completely over, in the following manner: when the plants put on a yellowish decayed appearance, take up the roots, cut off the stem and foliage within an inch of the bulbs, but leave the fibres, etc., attached to them; spread them in an airy room for two or three weeks to dry, after which wrap each root carefully in paper (as the air is very injurious to bulbs), or cover them with perfectly dry sand.

Bulbs intended for blooming in pots during the winter season should be planted during the months of October and November, and be left exposed to the open air (covered with a few inches of tan or soil) until they begin to freeze, and then be placed in the greenhouse or a room where fire is usually made. They will need, occasionally, moderate watering until they begin to grow, when they should have an abundance of air in mild weather, and plenty of water from the saucers whilst in a growing state; and should be exposed as much as possible to the sun, air and light to prevent the leaves from growing too long or becoming yellow.

## The Hyacinth.

Among hardy bulbs the Hyacinth stands, deservedly so, foremost on the list; it is not only a general favorite for the garden, but has become exceedingly popular as a winter flower, from the facility with which it may be forced into bloom, either in pots or glasses filled with water. Nothing can be more delightful, either for beauty or fragrance, than a stand of these lovely flowers, in a parlor or drawing-room during the winter months.



TYE'S GLASS.

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### METHOD OF BLOOMING HYACINTHS IN THE WINTER SEASON IN GLASSES.

For this purpose, single Hyacinths and such as are designated early among the Double, are to be preferred. Single Hyacinths are generally held in less estimation than Double ones; their colors, however, are more vivid, and their bells, though smaller, are more numerous; some of the sorts are exquisitely beautiful; they are preferable for flowering in winter to most of the Double ones, as they bloom two or three weeks earlier and are very sweet scented.

Hyacinths intended for glasses should be placed in them during October and November, the glasses being previously filled with pure water, so that the bottom of the bulb may just touch the water; then place them for the first three or four weeks in a dark closet, box or cellar, to promote the shooting of the fibres, which should fill the glasses before exposing them to the sun, after which expose them to the light and sun gradually. If kept too light and warm at first, and before there is sufficient fibre, they will rarely flower well. They will bloom without any sun, but the colors of the flowers will be inferior. To insure vigorous growth a favorable exposure to light and occasional fresh air, when mild, are essential. The water should be changed as it becomes impure; draw the roots entirely out of the glasses, rinse off the fibres in clean water, and wash the inside of the glass well. Care should be taken that the water does not freeze, as it would not only burst the glass, but cause the fibres to decay. Whether the water is hard or soft, is not a matter of much consequence—soft is preferable—but must be perfectly clear, to show the fibres to advantage.

Avoid a low water mark in the glasses by keeping it to a level with the base of each bulb.

Avoid a low water mark in the glasses by keeping it to a level with the base of each bulb. Never place the glasses upon a mantel-piece or shelf within the influence of fire heat during the process of growth. To stimulate and strengthen the growth, dissolve a pinch of sulphate of ammonia occasionally in the water after the bulbs are exposed to light.

### THE TREATMENT OF HYACINTHS IN POTS.

For the growth of Hyacinths in pots, the most favorable planting season for early bloom is September, and, for a succession, at intervals up to January. The size of pots is regulated by the space or convenience for placing them; when limited, and a rich massive effect is wished for, those of six or eight inches in diameter are recommended, in which three or four bulbs may be placed, but where more convenience is had, a succession of single or double bulbs in smaller pots may be admitted—two bulbs in each are very effective, and generally

preferred; the colors of such may be regulated according to taste. In potting, use the soil as already described; each bulb should remain one-third above the surface of the soil, and the base of each bulb should rest upon a strata of clean river sand. After potting place them where intended to remain, upon a dry surface of ashes or sharp gravel, in the rotation of their intended periods of bloom, each later potting plunged beyond the previous ones, and thus arranged, water the whole well to imbed the bulbs firmly within the soil, allowing them to remain until the bulbs and surfaces are again dry, for one or two days; then cover the whole over to the depth of three or four inches with half-dried tan, sawdust, sand or soil, for six or eight weeks, in which position the preparatory root-growth is made, necessary to a vigorous development of their flowerscapes. After the period adverted to, less or more, the first potted bulbs may be taken up, the soil and sediment carefully brushed off, and removed to a gentle hot-bed, or a warm genial greenhouse or room where the bloom will progressively expand, care being taken to screen the leaf-growth made in darkness for a few days. A short difference of a week or fortnight between the periods of potting will produce a corresponding difference in the periods of bloom. They are very effective when massed in Fern Dishes, Window Boxes, or in pots ten inches in diameter and six inches deep, either all of one color or assorted, according to fancy.

### DOUBLE NAMED HYACINTHS.

For Beds and Border culture. Those marked early are suitable for growing in pots and glasses, and force very readily, but are not so early as the single varieties, which are preferable for forcing in glasses.

Size of Bulbs. Some of the most beautiful varieties of Hyacinths, especially among the double-flowering sorts, produce but small bulbs; but the small size of the bulb does not diminish or increase the size of the spike or the beauty of the flowers.

### DOUBLE RED-of various shades.

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| Alida Catharina. Delicate satiny   | Medea. Dark rose; late, extra fine   |
| rose; early, and very double flowers 25  | spike of flowers 25  |
| Betsy. Light rose, large bells 25  |  |
| Bouquet royal. Rose, dark centre 30  | stripe; early, fine spike 30   |
| Bouquet tendre. Dark crimson;  | Panorama. Bright rose, carmine cen-  |
| early, and superior truss of flowers 25  | tre, early, very double  |
| Comtesse de la Coste. Light rose,  | Prince of Orange. Bright rose;   |
| with violet centre: early, extra flowers. 25   | early, fine pyramidal truss 30   |
| Czar Nicholas. Delicate rose, early. 25  | Princesse royale. Red, violet cen-   |
| Eclipse. Splendid scarlet; early 30  | tre; early, extra fine truss   |
| Frederick the Great. Light rose;   | Regina Victoria. Dark rose; early,   |
| early, extra large flowers 40  | very double, extra fine flowers 25   |
| Glory of the Netherlands. Dark   | Rose mignonne. Light rose; a late  |
| red; fine large bells 25   | forcing variety 25   |
| Grossfurst. Pink, violet centre; very  | Rouge delicat. Vermilion red; extra 50   |
| double, large bells 25   | Sans Souci. Bright red; extra fine   |
| L'esperance. Beautiful rose with   | pyramidal truss 40   |
| nankeen reflex petals, very early 25   | Sir Joseph Paxton. Deep crimson;   |
| Lord Wellington. Light rose; early,  | early, extra fine showy flowers 35   |
| largest and finest bloom 35  | Temple d'Apollon. Light rose;  |
| Madame Zoutman. Rosy crimson;  | early 25   |
|  | Wilhelm II. Dark red; very early 25  |
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#### DOUBLE WHITE-of various shades.

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| EACH                                   | EACH                                      |  |  |  |
| A la mode. Pale blush, with lilaceye;  | La virginite. Rose centre; early 25       |  |  |  |
| very double and early 30               | Lord Castlereagh. With purple;            |  |  |  |
| Anna Maria. Violet centre; early 25    | extra fine flowers 30                     |  |  |  |
| Bouquet royal. Pure white, large       | Mathilda. Blush; early, very fine 25      |  |  |  |
|  | Minerva. With purple; early 25            |  |  |  |
| Bucentaurus. Yellow centre; early      | Miss Kitty. Blush, with violet centre. 30 |  |  |  |
| and fine truss 25                      | Nanette. Pure; early 25                   |  |  |  |
| Castor. Pure; extra fine flowers 30    | Non Plus Ultra. With deep violet          |  |  |  |
| Duc de Berry. Pure white, late 35      | eye; very double, large bells 30          |  |  |  |
| Duchesse de Bedford. Pure; early,      | Prince of Waterloo. Pure; early,          |  |  |  |
| extra fine flowers 30                  | extra fine large bells and truss 35       |  |  |  |
| Grand monarque de France. Blush        | Sceptre d'or. Yellow centre; late 30      |  |  |  |
| with rose centre, immense bells 30     | Sultan Achmed. Blush; large bells. 25     |  |  |  |
| Heroine. With yellow eye 40            | Triomphe de Blandine. Blush;              |  |  |  |
| Jenny Lind. With purple eye; early. 30 |   |  |  |  |
|  | Venus. Yellow eye; extra fine truss 35    |  |  |  |
| La Tour d'Auvergne. Pure; early. 30    | Virgo. Rose centre; early 30              |  |  |  |
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| EACH   | of various shades.   |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Lord Wellington. Deep, with lilac  |  |  |  |  |
| Albion. Deep, very double, large pyramidal truss of flowers; late  | stripe: early, medium truss  |  |  |  |  |
| Belle mode. Light; early, fine bells. 25                           | Madame Marmont. Azure, shaded  |  |  |  |  |
| Blocksberg. Porcelain; early, large                                | with white; early and fine truss   |  |  |  |  |
| bells and showy truss  | Mignon van Drijfhout. Dark; early. 30  |  |  |  |  |
| Dark: early and superb flowers 25                                  | Othello. Shining black, inner petals violet; early, extra fine bloom                         |  |  |  |  |
| Comte de Bentinck. Porcelain; su-                                  | Pasquin. Porcelain; early, large 30  |  |  |  |  |
| perb flowers 30  | Frince Albert. Black: large flowers:   |  |  |  |  |
| Envoye. Light, violet centre; early 25                             | early, extra   |  |  |  |  |
| Garrick. Deep, shaded with violet;<br>early extra fine             | Prince Frederick. Lilac; early 30  |  |  |  |  |
| early extra fine   | Rembrandt. Dark; large bells 30<br>Richard Steele. Azure, violet cen-                        |  |  |  |  |
| violet; early, fine truss  | tre; early and fine  |  |  |  |  |
| Globe terrestre. Light; large truss 30                             | Rudolphus. Light: pretty truss 25  |  |  |  |  |
| Emperor Alexander. Dark; extra                                     | Shakspeare. Porcelain, gray stripe;  |  |  |  |  |
| fine flowers   | early, splendid spike  |  |  |  |  |
| King of the Netherlands. Dark; full and compact                    | Van Reenen. Porcelain; very fine 35<br>Van Speijk. Lilac, very large flowers;                |  |  |  |  |
| Lord Ragian. Black centre; early 35                                | early, extra fine  |  |  |  |  |
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| DOUBLE YELLOW  | of various shades  |  |  |  |  |
| EACH   | EACH   |  |  |  |  |
| Belle soufre. Bright; early 30                                     | La grandeur. Golden; large truss 40  |  |  |  |  |
| Bouquet orange. Orange; early 35                                   | La grandeur. Golden; large truss 40<br>Louis d'or. Bright; early 30                          |  |  |  |  |
| Cræsus. Orange, rose centre; late 40                               | Ophire d'or. Bright; late 25   |  |  |  |  |
| Goethe. Nankeen; early, superior truss 30                          | Pure d'or. Orange; early 40  |  |  |  |  |
| Jaune supreme. Nankeen, white centre; early, large fine flowers 40 | Van Speijk. Bright, with violet centre; very fine truss                                      |  |  |  |  |
| centre, carry, range and nowers                                    | tie, very line truss 40  |  |  |  |  |
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| SINGLE NAME  | D HYRCHNIHS.   |  |  |  |  |
| Single Hyacinths are by some held in less                          | estimation than double ones; but on a closer   |  |  |  |  |
| acquaintance with their fine qualities, they                       | will be found more deserving of cultivation.   |  |  |  |  |
| They are desirable for their early flowering,                      | will be found more deserving of cultivation. especially in pots or glasses; their colors are |  |  |  |  |
| more brilliant, and they excel the double in the                   | more brilliant, and they excel the double in their fine odor and greater profusion of bells. |  |  |  |  |
| Frederick the Creat. Light one; Regina Victoria, that rose offers  |  |  |  |  |  |
| CINCIE DED   | treducink the Creat, Light rose;   |  |  |  |  |
|  | of various shades.   |  |  |  |  |
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| Agnes. Dark rose; bright 25  | f various shades.  Mademoiselle Rachel. Brilliant;   |  |  |  |  |
| Agnes. Dark rose; bright   | f various shades.  Mademoiselle Rachel. Brilliant; extra large truss and flowers             |  |  |  |  |
| Agnes. Dark rose; bright   | Mademoiselle Rachel. Brilliant;<br>extra large truss and flowers                             |  |  |  |  |
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| Agnes. Dark rose; bright   | Mademoiselle Rachel. Brilliant; extra large truss and flowers                                |  |  |  |  |
| Agnes. Dark rose; bright   | Mademoiselle Rachel. Brilliant; extra large truss and flowers                                |  |  |  |  |

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| Attitudent 1000) marco, | Elfride. Pinkish reflex; beautiful large bells and truss | Miss Aikin. Rosy white, large flowers and truss; early |
|  | Elfride. Pinkish reflex; beautiful large bells and truss | Miss Aikin. Rosy white, large flowers and truss; early |

| SINGLE BLUE—of various shades.          |  |  |  |  |  |
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| EAC                                     | H   EACH   |  |  |  |  |
| Argus. Deep, with pure white eye;       | L'amie du cœur. Deep violet; pretty. 25  |  |  |  |  |
| extra fine large truss 2                |  |  |  |  |  |
| Baron van Thuyl. Deep; very large       | large and fine truss 25  |  |  |  |  |
| spike of beautiful bells, early 2       |  |  |  |  |  |
| Belle Africaine. Shiny black 3          | O Leonidas. Pearl, shaded sky-blue;  |  |  |  |  |
| Bleu mourant. Deep, light striped 2     | 5 beautiful large bells 35   |  |  |  |  |
| Camper. Light; very early 2             | 5 L'unique. Beautiful flower of deep   |  |  |  |  |
| Charles Dickens. Clear lilac; violet    | purplish amaranth 30   |  |  |  |  |
| striped; pyramidal truss 2              |  |  |  |  |  |
| Couronne de Celles. Light; large 2      | large, fine-arranged truss 30  |  |  |  |  |
| Emicus. Indigo, violet stripe and white | Mimosa. Deep violet, changing to   |  |  |  |  |
| eye; early and fine flower 2            |  |  |  |  |  |
| Emilius. Light; early, fine truss 30    | O Orondates. Light blue, with distinct   |  |  |  |  |
| Emperor Ferdinand. Deep; fine 2         | ribbon of bright blue; large truss, early. 25  |  |  |  |  |
| General Lauriston. Azure, with          | Pollux. Light blue; early 25   |  |  |  |  |
| white eye; early, handsome flower 2     | Porcelain Sceptre. Pale sky-blue,  |  |  |  |  |
| Grand lilas. Porcelain, changing to     | deeply shaded; large spike of flowers 30   |  |  |  |  |
| lilac; excellent, large flower 30       | Prince William I. Shining black on   |  |  |  |  |
| Grand vedette. Porcelain, shaded        | violet ground; pretty truss, early 30  |  |  |  |  |
| sky-blue; extra fine spike 30           | Regulus. Light, azure-blue striped 25  |  |  |  |  |
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#### SINGLE VELLOW-of various shades.

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| EA                                  | CH | E.                                 | ACH |
| Alida Jacoba. Clear; compact truss. |    |                                    | 25  |
| Anna Caroline. Pale; late           | 30 | L'interessante. Deep; large, showy |     |
| Engeline. Clear; fine spike         | 35 | bells and spike                    | 35  |
| Fleur d'or. Pure; fine flowers      | 25 | Overwinnaar. Clear, compact truss  | 25  |
| Heroine. Bright; late, large bells  | 25 | Rhinoceros. Orange colored; fine   |     |
| King of Holland. Orange             | 30 | flowers and large spike            | 25  |

### NAMED HYACINTHS.

Very choice varieties, with names and colors—our selection. \$4.00 per dozen. \$25.00 per hundred.

Choice varieties, with names and colors—our selection. \$3.00 per dozen. \$20.00 per hundred.

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### DOUBLE.

Bouquet tendre. Dark crimson. Czar Nicholas. Delicate rose. Princesse royale. Red, violet centre.
Regina Victoria. Dark rose.
Anna Maria. White, violet centre.
Bucentaurus. White, yellow centre.
Jenny Lind. White, purple eye.
La virginite. White, rose centre.
Envoye. Light blue violet centre. Envoye. Light blue, violet centre. General Antink. Blue, shaded violet. Lord Wellington. Deep blue, lilac stripe. Rembrandt. Dark blue.

#### SINGLE.

Amy. Dazzling carmine. Belle Eleonore. Dark red. Emmeline. Pink. Maria Theresia. Deep rose, striped. Alba superbissima. Pure white. Mrs. Beecher Stowe. Pure white. Semiramis. Rosy white. Vesta. Rosy white. Charles Dickens. Lilac, violet stripe. L'amie du cœur. Deep violet. Mimosa. Deep violet, to black. Regulus. Light blue, azure striped.

### UNNAMED OR MIXED HYACINTHS.

The following varieties are for out-door culture, in beds, groups, borders, or for florists' cut flowers, grown in pots. Each color embraces many shades, from the lightest to the darkest; purchasers can have them either in double or single varieties, put up in separate colors, or all mixed together, as may be desired.

15 cents each. \$1.50 per dozen. \$10 per hundred.

Red and pink, of various shades, double. Blue and porcelain, " " "
White and rosy white, " " "

Red and pink, of various shades, single. Blue and porcelain, " " " " White and rosy white, " " " " Yellow, " " "

Double Yellow, 25 cents. \$2.50 per dozen. \$16 per hundred.

ROMAN HYACINTH.

### EARLY ROMAN HYACINTHS.

The earliest for forcing, for florists' cut flowers, with small spikes of single white bells, bulbs usually producing several spikes. 15 cents. \$1.50 per dozen. \$10.00 per hundred.

### MIXED MINIATURE HYACINTHS.

This variety is of interest to those who desire to cultivate them; the bulbs, being small, still produce fine spikes of flowers of various shades and colors, and can be grown in all the ways we recommend for other Hyacinths. 15 cents. \$1.25 per dozen.

#### MUSK AND OTHER HYACINTHS.

This class is for garden culture, and fine for edging; also adapted for pot culture.

Belgicus alba. White...... Belgicus cœrulea. Blue. Botryoides alba (Grape). White...... Botryoides cœrulea (Grape). Blue.....

### HYACINTHS IN PACKAGES.

The following are put up in packages, with names and colors marked, and are lower in price than the same quality of roots when selected from the catalogue. They are all choice free-blooming varieties, for growing in glasses, pots, or garden culture.

Packages Nos. 6, 7, and 8 are fine unnamed varieties, with colors marked.

No. 1.—\$1.25. Contains 6 double.

Bouquet tendre. Dark crimson.
Czar Nicholas. Delicate rose.
Anna Maria. White, violet centre.
La virginite. White, rose centre.
General Antink. Blue, shaded violet.
Lord Wellington. Deep blue, lilac stripe.

No. 2.—\$1.50. Contains 6 double.
Bouquet royale. Rose, dark centre.
Noble par merite. Dark rose, pink stripe.
Jenny Lind. White, with purple eye.
Prince of Waterloo. Pure white.

Prince of Waterloo. Pure white. Blocksberg. Porcelain blue. Mignon van Drijfhout. Dark blue.

No. 3.—\$1.25. Contains 6 single.
Amy. Dazzling carmine.
Emmeline. Pink.
Mrs. Beecher Stowe. Pure white.
Vesta. Rosy white.
Charles Dickens. Lilac, violet stripe.
Regulus. Light blue, azure stripe.

No. 4.—\$1.50. Contains 6 single. Norma. Pink. Robert Steiger. Brilliant carmine. Grandeur a merveille. Rosy white. Grand vainqueur. Snow white. Leonidas. Pearl, shaded sky-blue. Orondates. Light blue, with dark stripe.

No. 5.—\$1.50. Contains 3 dble. and 3 sing.

Bouquet orange. Orange.
Garrick. Deep blue, shaded violet.
Lord Wellington. Light rose.
Alba superbissima. Pure white.
Alida Jacoba. Clear yellow.
Mimosa. Deep violet, to black.

No. 6.-\$1.00. Contains 6 double.

Red and pink, blue and porcelain, white and rosy white.

No. 7.-\$1.00. Contains 6 single.

Red and pink, blue and porcelain, white and rosy white.

No. 8.—\$1.00. Contains 3 dble. and 3 sing.

Red and pink, blue and porcelain, white and rosy white.

### ASSORTMENTS OF BULBOUS ROOTS.

### No. 1. FOR GREENHOUSE AND ROOM CULTURE.

Price per assortment, \$10; half assortment, \$5.00.

- 6 Double Hyacinths, choice named varieties. | 6 Persian Ranunculus, choice named. 6 Double Anemones, 12 Single
- 12 Single Tulips, Duc van Tholl 66 6 Ixias. Assorted colors. 6 Double Tulips, named varieties. 6 Oxalis. 64
- 6.6 6 Sparaxis. 50 Crocus, 10 choice varieties. 2 Cyclamen. 2 Tritonias. 6 Iris, Persian and Pavonia.

### 6 Double Jonquils.

6 Polyanthus Narcissus, assorted.

### No. 2. FOR GARDEN AND HOUSE CULTURE.

Price per assortment \$10. half assortment \$5.00

| Trice per assortment, 910, nan assortment, 95.00. |                                     |  |  |  |  |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| 12 Choice named Hyacinths for forcing.            | 12 Narcissus, double and single.    |  |  |  |  |
| 6 Mixed Double " " Garden.                        | 12 Snowdrops, " " "                 |  |  |  |  |
| 6 " Single " " "                                  | 6 Ranunculus, assorted colors.      |  |  |  |  |
| 6 " Single Tulips " "                             | 6 Anemones, " "                     |  |  |  |  |
| 6 " Double " " "                                  | 6 Saffron Crocus, Autumn flowering. |  |  |  |  |
| 6 " Parrot " " "                                  | 6 Lily of the Valley.               |  |  |  |  |
| 12 Duc van Tholl Tulips, single and double.       | 2 Lilium Auratums.                  |  |  |  |  |
| 50 Crocus, assorted colors.                       | 2 Japan Lilies.                     |  |  |  |  |
| 12 Iris, English and Spanish.                     | 2 Crown Imperials.                  |  |  |  |  |
| 6 Jonquils, double and single.                    | 4 Fritillaria Meleagris.            |  |  |  |  |

The above assortments and packages (invariably our selection), upon a remittance, will be mailed or expressed free to any part of the United States.

4 Scilla Sibericas.

Hyacinths, when ordered at the hundred prices, to be sent by mail, require an additional remittance of \$1.75 per hundred to prepay postage, but at the single bulb and dozen prices, are mailed or expressed free to any part of the United States.

### Fulips.

The Tulip is the most celebrated, popular, brilliant, and has always been prized by florists as the most decorative and showy of spring flowers; and not simply for effect alone, as



EARLY DOUBLE TULIP.

LATE SINGLE TULIP.

EARLY SINGLE TULIP.

many of the choice kinds have a delicacy of pencilling and richness of tinting which excel all other plants. They are of easy culture, both in the conservatory or parlor, and the open garden. They will thrive in almost any soil. A sandy soil enriched with rotted cow manure is, however, preferable; and being perfectly hardy, they can well claim a prominent rank among hardy bulbs.

Their cultivation is yet so limited, that their real beauty is not generally recognized. A few bulbs scattered here and there produce but little effect, but when planted in masses, or in small groups, they become at once grand and brilliant, and eclipse, in real variety of coloring and picturesque effect, almost any other flower. Our collection is unusally fine, embracing all the choicest varieties.

### EARLY DWARF DUC VAN THOLL TULIPS.

The Duc van Tholls are admired for their neat dwarf habit of growth, and brilliant color. They are the earliest of all Tulips, and are especially adapted for pot culture for winter blooming. The best effect is produced by planting in large pots, six, twelve, or more bulbs of the different colors.

For early flowers out of doors, they can also be highly recommended, and produce a pretty effect when planted in masses. The varieties are all single, except the Double Red, which

is red, yellow bordered, and very attractive in pots or garden culture.

|                           |         | EACH, DOZ.                   |
|---------------------------|---------|------------------------------|
|                           |         | Vermilion. Velvety 10 \$1.00 |
| Gold Striped. Beautiful 1 | 0 1.00  | White. Pure 15 1.50          |
| Rose. Satiny              | 10 1.00 | Yellow. Bright 15 1.50       |

Single Scarlet. Brilliant scarlet. 6 cents. 60 cents per dozen. \$4.00 per 100. Single Red. Yellow bordered. 8 cents. 80 cents per dozen. \$5.50 per 100. Double Red. Yellow bordered. 5 cents. 50 cents per dozen. \$3.00 per 100.

#### EARLY SINGLE NAMED TULIPS.

These are well known ornaments of the garden, as well as the green house. Forced in pots, they are very gay and fine; and for bedding in mixtures, or in separate colors and sorts, no spring flower is equal to them in brilliancy.

The late mixed varieties and Gesnerianum, are only for garden culture, for beds and groups

they are very effective.

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| EACH. DOZ.   | EACH, DOZ.                                  |
| Admiration. Dark brown 05 \$0.50   | Pottebakker White. Large 10 \$1.00          |
| Alida Maria. White and crimson. 08 0.80  | Pottebakker Yellow. Large 10 1.00           |
| Artis. Beautiful vermilion 05 0.50   | Prince of Austria. Orange red. 10 1.00      |
| Belle Alliance. Bright scarlet 08 0.80   | Proserpine. Deep rose, very                 |
| Bride of Haarlem. Brilliant  | large, and extra fine 10 1.00               |
| carmine, striped with white 15 1.50  | Rosa Mundi. True rose, fine                 |
| Brutus. Scarlet, yellow bordered. 08 0.80  | flower                                      |
| Canary Bird. Rich yellow, large. 08 0.80   | Rose grisdelin. Rose, very fine. 05 0.50    |
| Chapeau de Cardinal. Scarlet. 05 0.50  | Rubens. Scarlet                             |
| Chrysolora. Deep yellow, earliest 08 0.80  | Standard golden. Red and gold. 10 1.00      |
| Claremont golden. Red, gold  | Standard silver. Red and white. 08 0.80     |
| striped, extra 08 0.80   | Thomas Moore. Orange 05 0.50                |
| Claremont. Red, silver striped 05 0.50   |   |
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| Couleur de Cardinal. Deep red,   | Van der Neer. Violet, large, fine. 15 1.50  |
| spotted with violet  |   |
| Couleur ponceau. Crimson 05 0.50   |   |
| Duc de Haarlem. Red and yel-   | bright vermilion, very fine 10 1.00         |
| low  | Vesuvius. Splendid red 05 0.50              |
| Duc d'Orange. Gold with orange 05 0.50   | Wouwerman. Dark violet, large 10 1.00       |
| Duchesse de Parma. Crim-   | Wapen van Leiden White, car-                |
| son, with orange border 05 0.50  | mine spotted 05 0.50                        |
| Emanuel. Pure white 10 1.00  | Waterloo. Brilliant scarlet; extra. 05 0.50 |
| Globe de Rigaud. Violet, white   | Single Mixed Tulips.                        |
| striped  |   |
| Golden Prince. Golden yellow. 05 0.50  | Early Single, mixed without names.          |
| Keiserskroon. Yellow, with red. 08 0.80  | \$3.00 per 100 05 0.50                      |
| Lac van Rhein. Violet, silver  | Late Single, Beiblumen, mixed,              |
| edged 05 0.50  | white grounds. \$3.00 per 100 05 0.50       |
| La precieuse. Rose and white. 08 0.80  | Late Single, Bizarden, mixed yel-           |
| Miltiades. Blush white 05 0.50   | low grounds. \$3.00 per 100 05 0.50         |
| 'Paragon Guldebloem. White,  | Gesnerianum, (Hortensis). In-               |
| striped with yellow 05 0.50  | tense scarlet, with pansy blue              |
| Pax alba. Pure white 08 0.80   | 00 000                                      |
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### EARLY DOUBLE NAMED TULIPS.

This class of Double Tulips can be forced in pots; besides, they are a real ornament for the garden, as their large, early, fine-colored flowers and dwarf habit make them very desirable for bedding, and our list comprises all the best named varieties.

The mixed late double tulips are best adapted for planting out in the garden, and will not bear forcing as well as the early varieties; and for a succession, should be planted in

every garden.

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| Blanc borde pourpre.  | Purple.    |        | Couronne des roses. Bright rose; very double flower 10 \$  |                |
| -hite bordered        | 05         | \$0.50 | rose · very double flower  | $1.00^{\circ}$ |
| white bordered        |            | Ψ0.00  | Violat white edge 05   | 0.50           |
| Couronne d'or. Golden | yellow. 08 | 0.80   | Duke of York. Violet, white edge. 05   | 0.00           |

### EARLY DOUBLE NAMED TULIPS .- Continued.

| EACH,                                 | . Doz. | EACH. DOZ.                                |
|---------------------------------------|--------|---|
| Duc van Tholl. Red, yellow edge. 05   | \$0.50 | Rosine. Rosy lilac; pretty 05 \$0.50      |
| Extremite d'or. Reddish               |        | Rozenkroon. Dark violet, very             |
| brown with vellow edge 10             | 1.00   | fine bloom                                |
| Francis Joseph, Crimson and           |        | Salvator Rosa. Red and rose 10 1.00       |
| vellow 08                             | 0.80   | Titian. Brownish red, yellow edge 05 0.50 |
| Gloria solis. Scarlet, orange edge 05 | 0.50   | Tournesol. Red, edged with yel-           |
| Gloriosa superba. Scarlet 08          | 0.80   | low; foliage yellow streaked 08 0.80      |
| Grisdelin superbe. Lilae with         |        | Tournesol. Canary yellow, with            |
| white border 08                       | 0.80   | orange reflex 10 1.00                     |
| Helianthus. Brown and yellow. 08      |        | Velvet Gem. Dark brown, extra             |
| Imperator rubrorum. Scarlet 08        | 0.80   | fine flower 10 1.(N)                      |
| La candeur. Pure white; extra. 05     |        | Yellow Rose. Yellow; fragrant 05 0.50     |
| Le Blason. Rose, white shaded. 08     |        | Yellow Rose. Yellow, foliage              |
| Leonard da Vinci. Crimson             |        | bordered with yellow 08 0.80              |
| and yellow; extra fine flower 10      | 1.00   | Double Mixed Tulips.                      |
| Murillo. Rose, with white; extra. 08  | 0.80   |   |
| Purple Crown. Velvety crimson. 05     |        | Early double mixed varieties,             |
| Regina rubrorum. Dark red,            |        | \$3.00 per 100 05 0.50                    |
| striped with creamy yellow 10         | 1.50   | Late double mixed varieties,              |
| Rex rubrorum. Bright scarlet 05       |        | \$3.00 per 100 05 0.50                    |

### PARROT TULIPS.

Large flowers, with fringed edges, most brilliant crimson and yellow, with shades of bright green, curiously intermixed and variegated; unique and picturesque; are fine for borders, and when planted in masses produce a beautiful and striking effect.

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|---------------------------------------|------|--------|
| Admiral of Constantinople. Red,       |      |        |
| streaked with orange                  | 06   | \$0.60 |
| Gloriosa. Yellow, striped with red    |      |        |
| Perfecta. Yellow ground, shaded and   |      |        |
| spotted with scarlet; feathered       |      | 0.60   |
| Rubro major. Large red flower         |      |        |
| Mixed. Of various colors. \$3 per 100 |      |        |



### The Crocus.

As one of the earliest ornaments of the flower garden, it is a universal favorite, being neat, dwarf and compact, and varied in all the essential shades of color for producing harmony of effect. The principal adaptation of this bulb consists in its suitability for planting near the edge of flower borders, etc., so as not to require removal, or in forming lines or edges entirely of such, which, after blooming, may be removed; as the leaves show maturity of growth by fading in color.

The principal months for planting are October, November and December, in ordinary rich garden soil, placing the bulbs about two inches deep, and four to six inches from the edge; each group of six to eight bulbs being planted in its own relative color, or in blended varieties. These improve for some years if not disturbed. To secure a succession of blooms in pots, commence early in the first-named month with six or eight bulbs in each well-drained pot, using the same rich soil, and planting about an inch deep, and, thus planted, place the pots on a surface of ashes, covering them over one inch deep with soil, tan, or dry leaf-mould, until the leaves appear through the soil, when they may be removed to the house.

### LARGE CROCUS-SPLENDID NAMED VARIETIES.

30 cents per dozen. \$1.50 per 100.

WHITE.

Charlotte Corday. Grossfurst. Queen Victoria. Virgin Queen. BLUE.

Alexander. Grand vedette. Non plus ultra. Orestes. STRIPED.

Gallio.
Reine des fleurs.
Versicolor Albertine.
Walter Scott.

### LARGE CROCUS-FINE ASSORTED VARIETIES.

20 cents per dozen. \$1.00 per 100.

White. Blue.

Striped. Purple.

Yellow. Cloth of gold.

Saffron. Autumn flowering. Mixed. 15 cts. doz. 80 cts. per 100.







SNOWDROPS.

CROCUS.

LILY OF THE VALLEY

### Snowdrops.

The pretty Snowdrop, "in habit white and plain," is the first of all flowers to herald the approach of spring. Long before any other flower, it shoots up its slender stem, and displays its white, drooping corols, while the spotless snow still covers the shady recesses of the garden. They flourish well in any soil, and bloom best if not transplanted oftener than every three years. Being dwarf, they should be set near the edge of walks, where they show to advantage. They also flourish well in sand or moss, or in pots or baskets.

Double, 60 cts. per doz.; \$3.50 per 100. Single, 30 cts. per doz.; \$1.75 per 100. Lucojum æstivum. Large Snow-Flake. Flowers white, with bright green spots, resembling the Snowdrop, but much larger. 10 cents. \$1.00 per dozen.

### Lily of the Valley.

One of the most charming of our spring flowering plants, whose slender stems set with their tiny bells, diffusing a delicious odor, have rendered it a universal favorite. Also largely used for forcing in the winter, for the cut-flower trade. Deliverable after Nov. 1st.

BACH, DOZ. Convallaria majalis flore pleno. Double, white...... 15 \$1.50 Convallaria majalis foliis variegatis. Single, white; golden-striped foliage...... 25 2.50

Convallaria majalis. Single, white, fine large pips, 3 years old, selected for forcing. Per 100, \$3. 06 0.60

Convallaria majalis. Single white, strong clumps for forcing or planting out 5.00

### Narcissus.

All the varieties are extremely hardy and popular either as a border or florists' flower. The Single Narcissus is quite an attractive flower, the central cup being of a very different color from the six petals. Some have the petals of a light yellow and the cup orange; others have the petals white and the cup yellow; while the Poet's, or Pheasant's Eye Narcissus is snowy white, with red cup. The Double varieties are very desirable. The well-known Daffodil is of this class. Its true name is Van Sion.

The Polyanthus Narcissus are very attractive and showy flowers, producing on a tall stem large clusters of white and yellow cup-shaped blossoms, and are particularly admired for their sweet jasmine perfume; they contrast finely with the Hyacinth, for garden, pot or glass culture, and require the same treatment. They are now extensively grown as a florist flower, particularly the Dubius Single and the Double Roman.



SINGLE TRUMPET NARCISSUS.

POLYANTHUS NARCISSUS.

DOUBLE NARCISSUS.

### POLYANTHUS NARCISSUS.

Named, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen. Mixed, 10 cents each; \$1 per dozen.

Aurora. White, orange cup.
Democlides. White.
Double Roman. Double white flowers.
Dubius (Paper white). Pure white.
Favorite. Yellow.
Gloriosa. White, orange cup.
Grand monarque. White, citron cup.

Lutea major. Yellow.
Musard orientalis. White, orange cup.
Prince of Orange. Yellow.
Soliel d'or. Brilliant golden yellow.
Staten General. White, citron cup.
Mixed varieties.

### DOUBLE NARCISSUS.

Named, 6 cents. 60 cents per dozen. Mixed, 5 cents. 50 cents per dozen.

Alba pleno odorato. Large white;

very fragrant.

Incomparable. Yellow and orange.

Van Sion (Yellow Daffodil).

Mixed varieties,

### SINGLE NARCISSUS.

EACH. DOZ. Campernelle (Great Jonquil). Yellow; fragrant... 05 \$0.50 Poeticus. White, with red cup..... 05 0.50 Trumpet major. Golden Yellow..... 10 1.00 Trumpet minor. Bright yellow..... 10 1.00 Mixed varieties..... 06 0.60 Poeticus ornatus. A new early large variety of Poet's or Pheasant's Eye Narcis-sus, flowers pure white, with crimson eye, and very fragrant.....10 1.00



SINGLE AND DOUBLE JONQUILS.

### JONQUILS.

Very fragrant and fine for forcing in pots, also adapted for garden culture, which is the same as for Hyacinths.

|                | EACH, DOZ.                 | 1             | P. 01 | 7 505   |
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| Double Tellow. | Extra size bulbs 12 \$1.25 | Single Vellow | 05    | 0.50    |



DOUBLE ANEMONES.

### nemones.

These charming hardy spring flowers having such brilliant colors are becoming better known, and more popular as a garden flower; both double and single are equally desirable, and no garden should be without them. They are well adapted either for pot or border culture, and planted in masses are most drained loam. Plant in October or November, or as soon as the ground can be worked in the spring. If planted in the autumn, they should be covered with leaves, straw or long manure on the approach of winter.

For pot culture fill with any rich porous compost, and good drainage, planting four roots in a six-inch pot, place in a cold frame, or any moderately cool situation, giving very little water until the plants appear, then remove to the greenhouse or sitting-room

window.



DOUBLE CHRYSANTHEMUM ANEMONE.

### DOUBLE ANEMONES.

Named, 8 cents each. 80 cents per dozen.

Admiral Zoutman. Blue. Agnarius. White; very large.
Couleur de sang. Bright scarlet.
Feu superbe. Dazzling fiery red.
L'eclaire. Large, very fine scarlet.
Reine des Pays-Bas. White an White and

rose. Double. Mixed varieties. 5 cts. 50 cts. per doz.

Double Chrysanthemum. Splendid mixed varieties. 15 cts. \$1.50 per

Single Scarlet. 8 cents. 80 cents per doz.

Single Coronaria. Mixed varieties.

5 cents. 50 cents per doz. Single Fulgens. Flowers large, of a dazzling vermilion. 20 cents \$2.00 per doz.

### ANEMONE JAPONICA (Honorine Jobert).

15 cents. \$1.50 per dozen.
One of the most beautiful of the hardy herbaceous plants, and a finer bed of flowers can hardly be imagined than these Japanese Anemones, which commence to open their rich colored single bloom in August, and ever continuing to increase their beauty until the end of autumn. They thrive best

in a light rich, somewhat moist soil, and should not be transplanted more than is necessary to divide them, when they become too thick. A covering of leaves, straw or long manure in the winter, is sufficient for our most severe winters.

Alba. Pure white, yellow centre, and dark eye. Elegans. Carmine, yellow centre, and dark eye.
Rosea. Dark rose, shaded pink, yellow centre, and dark eye.

### Ranunculus.

For symmetry of form and brilliancy of color in almost all the varieties and hues which are recognized among flowers, the Ranunculus is probably unequalled by any other; for its culture it requires a good depth of light, rich garden soil. The tubers are rather tender, and can be planted out of doors early in the spring; also planted out in the fall, if thoroughly protected from frost, by a covering of straw, leaves, or long manure; and grown in pots, for forcing into early bloom in the greenhouse, if planted in November or December.

### RANUNCULUS .- Continued.

### TURKISH VARIETIES.

Named, 5 cents each. 50 cents per dozen,
Black turban. Blackish brown.
Hercules. Pure white.
Merveilleuse. Orange yellow.
Prince de Galitzin. Yellow and black.
Romano. Bright dazzling red.
Seraphique d'Algier. Light yellow.
Turban grandiflora. Variegated.
Mixed best varieties. 3 cents. 30 cents per dozen.

### PERSIAN VARIETIES.

Named, 6 cents. 60 cents per doz.

Bella Donna. Violet spotted.
Cramoisy superbe. Crimson large flower.
Commodore Napier. Yellow with brown.
Feuersaule. Red and yellow.
Jaune supreme. Deep yellow, extra.



RANUNCULUS.

Reine Vasthy. White and rose
Rose des dames. Rosy.

Mixed best varieties. 5 cents. 50 cents per
dozen.

Double French. Splendid double varieties; colors mixed. 8 cents. 80 cents per doz.



IRIS GERMANICA.

CROWN IMPERIAL.

IRIS IBERICA.

### Crown Imperial.

A very showy plant; is quite hardy, and when the bulb is once planted in any common garden soil, it needs no other culture. Autumn is the proper season for planting, as the bulbs will not keep long out of the ground. Plant one foot apart, covering the bulbs 5 inches.

| EACH.   | EACH.                              |
|---|------------------------------------|
| Double Red\$1.25 Single, v                          | variegated foliage, red 50         |
| Double Yellow 1.25 Single Y                         | Yellow 50                          |
| Single Orange, 35 cts. Single Red 25 Single, r      | mixed, \$2.00 per dozen 25         |
| Fritillaria Meleagris. Mixed miniature varieties    | , checquered lily-like flowers.    |
| \$1.00 per doz                                      | 10                                 |
| Single mixed Crown Imperials require 25 cents addit | ional per dozen to prepay postage. |

### Iris (Fleur-de-Lis).

The Iris is a very extensive and beautiful family, commonly known as the Flowering Flag. They are hardy Spring blooming plants, for the open border, with large, handsome, rich and varied colored flowers, in June and July, growing from 18 inches to 2 feet high: of easy culture, thriving in any good garden soil. Plant from September to December. The

first four on our list are perfectly hardy, and require no particular care, except replanting every two or three years; the remaining four are not so hardy; they require protection in the winter, of leaves, straw or long manure, and should not be planted out until after the middle of November, and are excellent pot plants for the house. All the varieties on this list can be forced into early bloom.

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|                          | EAC           | H. DOZ.  |                   |
| English mixed variet     | ies. Robust   |          | Pavonia (Peaco    |
| habit, large flower      | s, rich blue  |          | small variety     |
| shades predominatin      | g 0           | 5 \$0.50 | white, with each  |
| Spanish mixed varieti    |               |          | having a sky-b    |
| smaller than the Eng     |               |          | Reticulata. 1     |
| yellow shades predor     |               | 5 0.50   | sweet-scented v   |
| Persian. Dwarf, earl     |               |          | with bluish refle |
| white and sky-blue r     |               |          | white, yellow a   |
| velvety purple and y     | ellow 1       | 5 1.50   | Susiana. "The     |
| Pumila cœrulea.          |               |          | of Susa." Flo     |
| Flowers sky-blue         | 1             | 0 1.00   | the spring, of    |
| Iberica. Flowers la      | rge and very  |          | grayish blue,     |
| showy, of pearly whit    | e, veined and |          | spotted with      |
| spotted with brownis     |               | 0 5.00   | plant for house   |

### EACH. DOZ. ock). An exquire v. Flowers pure blue triangle..... 05 \$0.50 A beautiful early variety; fine violet, ex, and spotted with and black..... 50 5.00 e Mourning Widow owers very early in f great size; color richly netted and black; a splendid e culture ..... 30 3.00

### IRIS GERMANICA.

These are neat, robust, hardy herbaceous early blooming plants, with large ornamental flowers of rich and elegantly-blended colors, exquisitely striped with dark violet, purple, or bronzed lines, upon a lighter ground. Not rising more than two or three feet in height, they are admirably adapted for gardens. 15 cents each. \$1.50 per dozen.

White, bordered with lilac. Comte de St. Clair. Pure white, shaded with violet, lower petals purplish violet, netted with white.

Hericartiana. Pale blue, lower petals dark

blue and purple.

Honorabilis. Orange, lower petals brown.
Juliette. White, violet edge, shaded blue. Madame Chereau. White, edged violet. Pajol. Purplish lilac, lower petals dark,

Pluton. Bronzy violet, lower petals lilac. Raphæl. Nankeen yellow, lower petals purple with white veins.

Spectabilis. Velvety purple, shaded with black.

Virgile. Bronzy red, lower petals reddish lilac, veined with pale yellow. Virginal. White, lower petals veined with

purple. Walneri. Lilac, lower petals dark blue.

### IRIS KÆMPFERI.

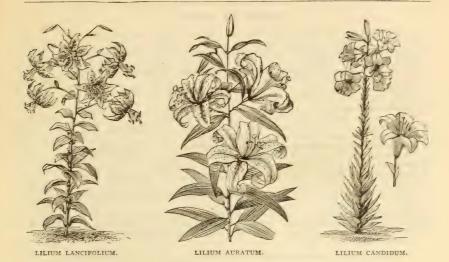
This new Japanese Iris is an excellent addition to the list of hardy herbaceous plants, and should be planted in a somewhat moist situation; during exceedingly dry weather they should be abundantly watered. They are quite distinct from all the other varieties, forming most beautiful groups of handsome colored large flowers, varying in color from pure white to deep blue, veined and mottled. 20 cents each. \$2.00 per dozen.

### Herbaceous Pæonies.

This interesting genus contains many magnificent flowering plants. They are tuberous-rooted and quite hardy. To insure a bloom the first season, it is necessary to plant in the autumn, but they can also be planted out in the spring. The following are among the most desirable large flowering varieties, embracing all shades of color, from pure white to a deep

| crimson; and many are delightfully fragrant.                              | we man medium-sized roots at the list prices.                                     |
|---|---|
| Alba plena. Double white  | Officinalis rubra. Dark crimson 25  |
|   | Rosea delecta pulchra. Rose, shaded with buff                                     |
| tinged with buff  | Sulphurea. Pale yellow  |
| Jeanne d'Arc. Blush, shaded rose 50                                       |   |
| Lingulata. Pure white   |   |
| bright, large, showy and distinct 50<br>Officinalis purpurea major. Large | 12 new French varieties. \$3 per dozen 35<br>12 choice named varieties of our own |
| * *   | selection. \$2.50 per dozen.  |

Pæonia Arborea (Tree Pæonie). This plant, instead of dying down to the ground every winter, as the herbaceous variety, is a small, hard-wooded shrub. The flower is the same in form as the common variety, but of a light pink or blush color. (Not mailable). \$1.50.



### Lilium.

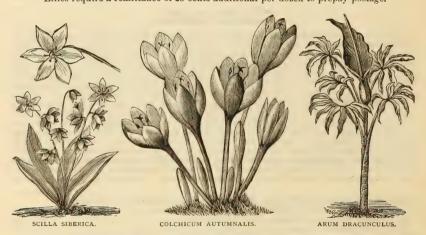
The Lily has always been a favorite flower. Some of the varieties are truly magnificent. The Lilium Auratum is the great Lily from Japan, called the "Golden-banded Lily." This is the king of Lilies. The flower is from eight to twelve inches across, composed of six delicate white ivory petals, each being thickly studded with rich chocolate crimson spots, and having a bright golden band through the centre of each petal, with an exquisite vanillalike perfume. As the bulbs acquire age and strength, the flowers obtain their maximum size and number. Upwards of twelve flowers have been produced on a single stem. It is perfectly hardy, and thrives best in a dry, rather poor garden loam, and should be planted six inches in depth; also admirably adapted for pot culture. The Japan Lilies,—Lilium Lancifolium,—are among the most beautiful and delightfully fragrant, and are suited for either pet or garden culture; their period of blooming is during the months of July and August. Our list will be found to embrace all the best and leading varieties. They are all hardy, and the bulbs can be planted either in the autumn or spring, although autumn is preferable; Candidum and Longiforum Japonicum must be planted in the autumn, as they commence then to grow; and a covering of manure will be found beneficial for all the varieties, but must be removed early in the spring. The ground should be thoroughly drained for Lilies.

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| A (Colden bounded Tile) White with sich suimage and older  | EACH  | DOZ.    |
| Auratum (Golden-banded Lily). White, with rich crimson spots, and golden   | 40 == | Am #0   |
| band through the centre of each petal. Extra strong flowering bulbs  |       |         |
| Second size, flowering bulbs   | 0.50  | 5.00    |
| Third size, flowering bulbs  | 0.30  | 3.00    |
| Browni. With magnificent large foliage, flowers large, white inside, purple  |       |         |
| outside, and stamens of a rich chocolate color   | 2.00  | 20.00   |
| Bulbiferum aurantiacum. Orange red; cup-shaped flowers   | 0.20  | 2.00    |
| Callosum. Very rare, beautiful orange-red pendulous flowers  | 2.00  | 20.00   |
| Canadense. Pendulous flowers; yellow, spotted with brown and petals tipped   |       |         |
| with red   | 0.15  | 1.50    |
| Candidum flore pleno. A double white variety, very showy   | 0.30  | 3.00    |
| Candidum simplex. The well-known white garden Lily; snow white, fragrant   | 0.15  | 1.50    |
| Chalcedonicum (Turk's Cap). Brilliant scarlet recurved blossoms; very ef-  | 0.10  | 2.00    |
| fective for bedding  | 0.75  | 7.50    |
| Colchicum (Szowitzianum). One of the finest Lilies; large pendulous flowers  | 0.10  |         |
|  | 0.50  | 5,00    |
|  |       | 6.00    |
| Excelsum (Testaceum isabellinum). Delicate light buff color  | 0.60  | 0.00    |
| Harrisi. This new variety is very free-blooming, continuing two or more times  |       |         |
| in succession without rest; trumpet-shaped, pure white and very fragrant, large  | . =0  | 1= 00   |
| flowers. It can be forced into bloom at any desired time in the winter   | 1.50  | 15.00   |
| Humbolti (Bloomerianum). Golden yellow, spotted with searlet brown; flow-  |       |         |
| ers drooping on long peduncles; California Lily  | 0.60  | 6.00    |
| Krameri. An exquisite flower, white, blush-tinted, very large and fragrant   | 0.50  | 5.00    |
| Lancifolium (or Speciosum) album. Splendid white   | 0.50  | 5.00    |
| Lancifolium (or Speciosum) rubrum. White, spotted with crimson; superb.  | 0.20  | 2.00    |
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| LILIUM.—Continued.   |                |              |
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| Lancifolium (or Speciosum) punctatum. White, spotted with delicate sal-  | EACH.          | Doz          |
| mon; broad petals  | \$0.50         | 5.00         |
| Lancifolium monstrosum (or Speciosum) album. Pure white; producing   |                |              |
| Lancifolium monstrosum (or Speciosum) rubrum. White, crimson spotted;  | 0.50           | 5.00         |
| large clusters of beautiful flowers white, crimson spotted;  | 0.50           | 5.00         |
| Longiflorum florabunda. Trumpet-shaped flowers; pure white, recurved   | 0.50           | 0.00         |
| petals, fragrant and abundant bloomer.   | 1.50           | 15.00        |
| Longiflora Japonica. Large and beautiful, snow-white, trumpet-shaped   | 0.00           | 0.00         |
| Pardalinum. Yellow and red; beautifully spotted. New California Lily   | $0.20 \\ 0.25$ | 2.00<br>2.50 |
| Superbum. A beautiful red-spotted drooping lily  | 0.15           | 1.50         |
| Thunbergianum atrosanguineum maculatum. Very large orange-spot-  | 0110           | -100         |
| ted flowers; the finest dwarf variety, only 10 inches high   | 0.25           | 2.50         |
| Tigrinum (Tiger Lily). Orange salmon, spotted with black   | 0.15           | 1.50         |
| showy flowers  | 0.30           | 3.00         |
| Tigrinum splendens (Tiger Lily). Flowers as large again as the old variety,  | 0.00           | 0.00         |
| and of a deeper color  | 0.20           | 2.00         |
| Umbellatum erectum. Yellow, with brown and dark orange; very showy   |                | 2.50         |
| Umbellatum grandiflorum. Orange scarlet; very fine, free flowering Washingtonianum. Flowers erect, white, shaded and spotted with pink and | 0.20           | 2.00         |
| crimson. California Lily   | 0.75           | 7.50         |
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Lilies require a remittance of 25 cents additional per dozen to prepay postage.

2.00 2.50 2.00



### MISCELLANEOUS HARDY VARIETIES.

For garden culture, and when suitable for pots, they are so designated; a covering of leaves or long manure is beneficial during the winter, which must be taken off early in the

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| spring.  |     |         |
| E  | CH. | DOZ.    |
| Alstræmeria chilensis. Mixed. This variety produces its flowers from   |     |         |
|  |     |         |
| June till September, of all the various colors of the rainbow, and should be   |     | **      |
| planted at least one foot deep, also fine for pot culture  | 20  | \$2.00  |
| Amaryllis longiflora alba. Beautiful funnel-shaped large white fragrant  |     |         |
|  | ΔK  | 4.00    |
|  | 70  | 7.00    |
| Amaryllis longistora rosea. A very effective, large rose slowered variety of   |     |         |
| the above  | 40  | 4.00    |
| Amaryllis lutea (Sternbergia). Golden-yellow; blooms in the autumn   | 20  | 2.00    |
| Anatylis total decision of the least the and deals were and  |     | 2.00    |
| Amaryllis belladonna major. Very large trumpet-shaped, dark rose and   |     |         |
| white, extra fine flowers  | 60  | 6.00    |
| Amaryllis Atamasco (Lily of the Virgin). Pure white flowers  | 10  | 1.00    |
| Amaryllis Treatæ alba (Zephyranthis). This beautiful large lily-like flower  |     |         |
| Amaryins I reate area (Zephyrantins). This beautiful large my-like hower   |     | 4 00    |
| is white, often shaded a little with pink  |     |         |
| Amaryllis Treatæ rosea. A large rose flowering variety of the above  | 15  | 1.50    |
| All the above Amaryllis are suitable for pot culture, except lutea.  |     |         |

### MISCELLANEOUS HARDY VARIETIES.—Continued.

| MISCELLANEOUS HARDI VARIETIES.—Continued                                    |       |        |
|---|-------|--------|
|   | EACH. | DOZ.   |
| Arum dracunculus serpentaria (Dragon plant). Long brownish flowers,         |       |        |
| about a foot long, foliage resembling a palm                                | 20    | \$2.00 |
| Brodia grandiflora. Large sky-blue flowers, blooms in summer                |       | 0.60   |
| Bulbocodium vernum. Dark purple flowers, resembling the Colchicum           | ()6   | 0.60   |
| Camassia esculenta. Large showy purplish blue flowers, producing an         | 0.5   | .0.00  |
| elegant spike of bloom early in the spring                                  | 10    | 1.00   |
| Colchicum autumnalis. A pretty species, flowering in November, with violet  | 10    | 1.00   |
| white during d downers are subling the areas.                               | 10    | 1.00   |
| white-striped flowers, resembling the crocus                                |       | 1.00   |
| Colchicum autumnalis album. A white variety of the above                    | 10    | 1.00   |
| Dielytra spectabilis (Bleeding heart). A herbaceous tuberous-rooted plant;  |       |        |
| blooms early in the spring, producing racemes of delicate pink and white    |       |        |
| heart-shaped flowers, suitable for forcing into early bloom                 | 25    | 2.50   |
| Funkia Japonica alba (Day Lily). Pure white, lily-like, fragrant flowers    | 25    | 2.50   |
| Funkia Japonica cœrulea. Blue flowers                                       | 20    | 2.00   |
| Gladiolus byzantinus. Reddish purple, yellow stripes                        | 05    | 0.50   |
| Gladiolus colvilli. Red and white; fragranteach                             | 08    | 0.80   |
| Gladiolus communis. Red and white each                                      | 05    | 0.50   |
| Gladiolus ramosus. Rose and crimson flowers; also a very showy winter-      |       |        |
| blooming bouquet flower; by planting at intervals in pots, a succession of  |       |        |
| bloom can be had from December to April                                     | 15    | 1.50   |
| All of the above varieties of Gladiolus can be forced into early bloom; for | 10    | 1.00   |
|   |       |        |
| outdoor culture, plant in November, and cover with long manure.             |       |        |
| Hemerocallis kwanso foliis variegatis flore pleno. From Japan, beauti-      | FO    | = 00   |
| ful variegated foliage and very large double copper-colored flowers         |       | 5.00   |
| Hemerocallis kwanso, flore pleno. Double orange-colored flowers             | 50    | 5.00   |
| Ornithogalum pyramidale. A spike of white flowers; blooming in June,        |       |        |
| handsome foliage  | 20    | 2.00   |
| Scilla Siberica. Brilliant intense blue flowers, produced on a short, erect |       |        |
| spike; fine for pot culture   | 08    | 0.80   |
| Nymphæa odorata. One of the best of our native Water Lilies; fragrant,      |       |        |
| white flowers, but occasionally tinted with pink; for ponds or aquariums    | 50    | 5.00   |
|   |       |        |

# GREENHOUSE BULBS AND TUBERS.



Showy flowering greenhouse bulbs, blooming profusely from May to October; are most effective when four or more bulbs are planted in each pot; require light, rich soil, plenty of air, and slightly shaded from the sun.

Named varieties. 25 cts. \$2.50 per dozen. Mixed varieties. 20 cts. \$2.00 per dozen.

### Amaryllis.

Splendid flowering bulbs, suitable for greenhouse or for room culture. They should be grown in pots, well drained, in a soil of equal parts of peat, leaf mould and loam; then started in heat, and must have attention after flowering, to ripen off the bulb, by discontinuing to water as the foliage shows signs of dying off; when at rest, store away in a dry, cool place, but leave the bulbs in the pots. They are showy lily-shaped flowers, producing from two to four on a stalk, and bloom early in the spring or later if desired, by starting at a corresponding later period.

| Aulica. Dark crimson, shaded green.    | \$2.50 |
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| Johnsoni. Scarlet, striped with white; |        |
| very large bloom                       |        |
| Prince of Orange. Bright orange;       |        |
| large and handsome                     | 1.95   |
| Choice Hybrids, imported from Offent.  | 1.40   |

| Vittata. White, striped with b                 | EACH<br>right |
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| Vittata Hybrids, white ground, str             | riped 1.25    |
| Vittata Hybrids, red ground, str<br>with white | riped 1.25    |



### Caladiums.

This class of beautiful variegated foliage plants, margined and delicately traced with various rich colors, and elegantly spotted and mottled, are exceedingly handsome when alone or intermingled with other plants. As a decorative plant, they are unequalled, for the greenhouse or conservatory in the summer months. They require a moist, warm temperature; great care must be taken in their earlier stages of growth, to prevent decay of the tubers, or damping off. The tubers can be best preserved during the winter in charcoal dust in a warm room, and must be started, in the spring, in a warm house or hot bed with bottom heat; they also do well planted in a shady situation out of doors in June.

25 cents. \$2.50 per dozen.

Argyrites. Small leaf, white and green spotted.

Auber. Green, spotted white and pink. Baron Rothschild. Green, spotted and veined with orange crimson.

Beethoven. White, mid-ribs rose.
Belleymei. Green, mottled with white.
Bicolor splendens. Deep crimson, with
broad green margin.

Boieldieu. Orange crimson, green margin.
Brongniarti. Large green and crimson.
Duc de Ratibon. Green, shaded white,
with crimson spots.

E. G. Henderson. Green, spotted rose. Enekei. Green, spotted with pink. Endlicherianum. Green, large rose centre. Hercules. Gray centre, and red spots.
Houlletti. White, gray and green.
Lamartine. Olive green, crimson spots.
Maculata. Green, blotched white.
Meyerbeer. White, mid-ribs red.
Milton. Red veins, gray centre, crimson spots.

Napoleon III. Green, crimson centre. Newmani. Green, spotted rose.

Reine Victoria. Dark green, spotted with white and crimson.

Rossini. Pale centre, pink ribs, red spots. Rubra maculata. Green, orange spots. Wighti. Light green, crimson and white spots.

### Cyclamen.

Few plants are more showy than the Cyclamen; blooming in the winter and early spring months in the greenhouse, the flowers being singular in shape, of various colors, with beau-

tiful ornamental foliage. The soil should be very light and rich, containing a good part of peat and sand, with well-rotted cow manure. They require frequent watering when in full leaf and blooming.

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| Coum. Flowers bright crimson and |     | Persicum (Aleppicum). White, with      |     |
|                                  |     | crimson centre. \$3.00 per dozen       |     |
| Europeum album. Pure white       | 25  | Persicum album. Pure white             | 50  |
| Europeum roseum. Rose colored    |     |  | 50  |
| Hederæfolium rubrum. Rosy pur-   |     | Persicum maculatum variegatum.         |     |
|                                  |     | Spotted and variegated, extra fine     | 75  |
|                                  | 50  | Persicum giganteum. Very large         |     |
| Pyrenaicum odoratum. Red; fra-   |     | white flowers, with violet-purple eye, |     |
| grant, autumn flowering          | 25  | and beautiful mottled foliage 1        | .00 |
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We offer very strong tubers of this, the most satisfactory variety of Gloxinia; strong in habit, free in bloom and brilliant in color. The colors vary in rich crimson, porcelain, purple and lavender blue, rose and violet belted flowers. Erect, horizontal and pendula varieties; mixed varieties of beautiful colors. 30 cents; \$3.00 per dozen.

### Ixia.

The best season for planting these beautiful flower-bulbs is during the autumn months, for early spring blooming; being small, they are most effective when planted in stores of three, four, or six in each pot, of four or six inches in diameter; they are too small to grow as single specimens.

Named varieties. 10 cts.; per doz., \$1.00. | Mixed varieties. 5 cts.; per doz., 50 cts.



OXALIS FLORIBUNDA.

ORNITHOGALUM AUREUM.

### Oxalis

These are profuse bloomers, and very attractive in the greenhouse or conservatory during the winter. Plant three or four bulbs in a pot; the pots should be kept near the glass to prevent the foliage from growing too long, and require frequent watering while growing.

| Named varieties  | ACH. DOZ. | Floribunda rosea. Similar to                                    |
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| Floribunda alba. An ever-                                    | 05 .50    | the preceding one, with rose-colored flowers                    |
| blooming variety, used for pots and baskets; white flowering | 10 1.00   | Cernua fl. pl. Double canary yellow, fine large flowers 10 1.00 |

### Sparaxis.

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For growing in pots in the greenhouse, conservatory or house.

TRITOMA, or RED-HOT POKER. UVARIA GRANDIFLORA. 25 to 50 cts.

| Babiana. Mixed varieties, showy,  | and purple. The true Star of                                       |
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| and resembling the Ixia   | Bethlehem  |
| Bravoa geminifilora. Long   | Pancratium rotatum. Large  |
| racemes of pretty crimson Pents-  | clusters of pure white fragrant                                    |
| temon-like flowers, on stems two  | flowers, blooming freely during                                    |
| feet high, tube coral-red, rose at                                      | the whole year. A fine florist's                                   |
| the orifice. A gem for the green-                                       | bouquet flower 50 5.00   |
| house or window   | Tritonia. Mixed varieties 06 0.60                                  |
| Eucharis Amazonica. Flowers   | Trop se olum pentaphyllum  |
| like pure white stars, four inches                                      | Deep red, handsome flowers, very                                   |
| across, very fragrant. It does well                                     | floriferous and fine for out-doors in                              |
| in loam, peat, and a little sand,                                       | summer, grown on trellises; a                                      |
| enriched with old manure. Strong  | slender, rapid-growing climber 50                                  |
| blooming bulbs. 50c.; per doz., \$5. 1.00 10.00                         | Tropæolum tricolorum. Scar-  |
| Ornithogalum aureum. Splen-   | let, yellow and black; same as                                     |
| did rare flowers of golden- orange                                      | the above: 50  |
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| SUMMER AND AUT  | TUMN-FLOWERING   |
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| BULBS AND   | d tubers,  |
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| For Planting in the Spri  | ng in the Open Ground.   |
| Bulbs are Ready for Delivery in Octo                                    |  |
| For complete lists, please see "I                                       | OREER'S GARDEN CALENDAR."  |
| AGAPANTHUS.   | No. PRICE.   |
| UMBELLATUS (African Blue Lily). Each,                                   | 3-12 varieties named \$3.00  |
| 50 cts. to \$1.   | 4 10 66 miyod 50   |
| ALBUS. Pure white. \$1.   | 5-12 " " light colors 1.00   |
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| AMARYLLIS.  | 7-12 " " very choice 1.50  |
| FORMOSISSIMA (Jacobæa Lily). Crimson,                                   | 0-100  |
| 25 cts. \$2.50 per doz.   |  |
| VALLOTA PURPUREA SUPERBA. Plant in                                      | Not less than 50 at the 100 price.                                 |
| equal parts of peat, leaf-mould and                                     | MADEIDA MEVICAN VINE   |
| loam, taking care not to over-pot, as                                   | MADEIRA, or MEXICAN VINE.  Strong roots of this favorite flowering |
| they flower better when pot-bound.                                      | creeper, 10 cts.; 75 cts. per doz.                                 |
| 30 to 50 cts., according to size of bulb.                               | OXALIS.  |
| AMORPHOPHALLUS RIVIERI. 25  | DEPPH. A summer-flowering variety, ex-                             |
| to 50 cts.  CANNA (Indian Shot Plant). 18 choice                        | cellent for borders and edgings. It is                             |
| and distinct varieties, excelling in foli-                              | grown rather for the lively green with                             |
| age and flower the older sorts. 25 cts.;                                | black zone leaves than the flowers.                                |
| \$2.50 per doz.   | 10 cts. per doz.; 50 cts. per 100.                                 |
| COLOCASIA, or CALADIUM. 25 and  | LASIANDRA. Similar to Deppii, leaves di-                           |
| 50 cts., according to size.   | vided in nine divisions, flowers stand-                            |
| BATAVIENSIS. Red stems.   | ing well above the foliage. The bulbs                              |
| ESCULENTUM. Large green leaves.   | are planted an inch apart. 10 cts. per                             |
| <b>DAHLIA.</b> A selected stock of 80 varieties,                        | doz.; 50 cts. per 100.   |
| showing distinct colors, perfect form                                   | TIGRIDIA, or TIGER FLOWER. 10 cts.; 75 cts. per doz.               |
| of flower and good bloomers. Large                                      | Concerned On Orange  |
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| No. PRICE.  | per doz.   |
| 1-12 varieties named \$1.00   | TRITOMA, or RED-HOT POKER.   |

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Of great beauty. 12 varieties. 30 cts. each; \$3 per doz.

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MINIATA. Orange red flowers.

MULTIFLORA. Light rose. RICHARDSONI. Large pure white flowers.

RUBRA. Flowers scarlet rose.

SAUNDERSONI. Scarlet flowers. WELTONIENSIS. Fine salmon pink.

ALBA. Pure white. BEGONIA SCHMIDTI.

A new variety with dark metallic green foliage, dwarf habit; a profuse bloomer, being covered with white flowers tinged with pink. 30 cts.

BLETIA TANKERVILLIÆ.

An easy growing orchid, producing large showy white, marked with brown, flowers in long spikes. 75 cts. to \$1.50. NEW DOUBLE WHITE BOUVAR-

DIA-A. Neuner.

One of the most valuable winter blooming plants yet introduced. It equals the single variety Davidsoni, in healthy growth and

profuse blooming.

The flowers are larger than those of the single variety, composed of three perfect rows of petals of the purest waxy white color; each floret resembling a miniature tuberose bloom. The trusses are large and perfect, produced freely and without interruption even on small plants. 50cts, to \$1.00 each.
BOUVARDIAS. Large plants. 30 cts.

\$3 per doz.

DAVIDSONI. The best white flowered variety.

ELEGANS. Salmon scarlet. Extra large and fine.

LEIANTHA. Fine scarlet.
CALLA. "Lily of the Nile." 25 to 50 cts.
ÆTHIOPICA. The favorite Easter lily. NANA. A dwarf-growing variety. CAPE JASMINES. 25 to 50 cts.

GARDENIA CAMELLIA FLORA.

ELORIDA. FORTUNI.

RADICANS. CAMELLIA JAPONICA.

The following list comprises the most popular varieties of this favorite winter plant. The prices vary, according to size, from 75 cts. to \$10.

ALBA PLENA. Double white. FIMBRIATA. Fringed edges. ALEXINA. Blush, striped rose. CALEB COPE. Blush rose

CANDIDISSIMA. Creamy white, Chalmeri. Clear rose.

DUCHESSE D'ORLEANS. White, striped with crimson.

DUNLAP'S WHITE.

FEASTI. Delicate salmon and rose.

CAMELLIA JAPONICA.—Continued.

GILESI. Red and white, fine. HENRI FAVRE. Salmon rose. IMBRICATA. Crimson, spotted white.

JEFFERSONI. Deep crimson.

JENNY LIND. White, with occasional

flakes of rose.

JOAN D'ARC. Rose, spotted white. LADY HUME'S BLUSH. Peach color. LANDRETHI. Beautiful pink.

LEILI. White, with light rose streak. MAGDALENA LESHI. Crimson, spo Crimson, spotted with white.
MRS. COPE. White with pink stripe.

PRINCE ALBERT. Blush, striped. QUEEN OF DENMARK. Crimson, shaded with rose.

R. J. DOWNING. Flesh color. REINE DE FLEURS. Crimson. SACCO MAGNIFICA. Pale rose. SARAH FROST. Rosy crimson.
SHERWOODI. Light crimson.
TRICOLOR. Blush, crimson and rose.
WILDERI. Clear rose, fine.

WILLIAM PENN. Dark red.
WILLIAM IV. Fine rose.
CARNATION; Monthly or Remont-

Select list of varieties, expressly grown and trained for winter-flowering-large plants. 40 ets.; \$4 per doz.

ASTORIA. Yellow, scarlet-striped. BETSY. Finest scarlet.

CRIMSON KING. Beautiful crimson scarlet.

LA BELLE. Fine white.

LA PURITE. Deep carmine, free flowering.

LORD CLYDE. White, striped carmine.

OTHELLO. Dark crimson.

PETER HENDERSON. Pure white, PRESIDENT DE GRAW. Pure white, free. SNOWDEN. The purest white, dwarf. VARIEGATED LA PURITE. Beautifully VARIEGATED LA PURITE. variegated and striped.

CESTRUM. Night-blooming Jasmine. 20 cts.

AURANTIACUM. Pure orange. PARQUI. Greenish-white flowers.

CHRYSANTHEMUM. Large flowering

and pompone varieties.

Large plants 30 cts.; \$3 per doz.

A choice assortment selected from a large collection for their free-blooming qualities and distinct colors, for fall and winterflowering.

#### CHRYSANTHEMUM; Marguerites or Paris Daisies.

These varieties which have created such a sensation in the larger cities, have been confused with the Ox-eye Daisies of the field which they somewhat resemble. The following are really single Chrysanthemums, but differing from the ordinary kinds in these particulars. They are as tender as a scarlet Geranium and should be treated as a Verbena; they require poor soil and a sunny situation. For winter forcing treat as Carnations. 30 cts. each. \$2.50 per doz.

ETOILE D'OR. Soft delicate yellow.
FRUTESCENS. Ray flowers, white, yellow

TRICOLOR. Beautifully banded, yellow, white, crimson, etc.

CISSUS DISCOLOR. A beautiful variegated hot-house climber. 30 cts.

COLEUS, New and older varieties.

The best varieties selected from the Dreer's Tricolor, Queensland and Queensland Dwarf sets introduced in the Spring of 1880, and the older sorts.

They have been selected with a view of excelling in richness of color, habit and effect and previous introductions. They stand the sun very well, and make handsome con-servatory plants interspersed with other foliage plants during the winter. 15 cts. \$1.50 per doz.

ACME. ALBION. B. OF WIDMORE. BRILLIANT. CHARM. CROWN JEWELS. EXCELLENT. EXQUISITE. FASCINATION. GOLDEN BEAUTY. JUDY. KENTISH FIRE. LADY BURRELL. MAROON VELVET.

MISS KIRKPATRICK. MUSAICA. MULTICOLOR. NOVELTY. PARROQUET. PICTUS. PRINCESS. QUEEN VICTORIA. RAINBOW. SUPERBISSIMA. VENOSA. VICTOR LEMOINE. Verschaffelti.

CROTON. CHALLENGER. One of the most distinct long-leaved varieties. The variegation is very striking, midribs are at first creamy white which gradually become suffused with red, finally deepening to bright carmine. \$2.00.

EARL OF DERBY. Bright yellow stem, the midribs are of the same rich color, which gradually deepens with age until they become

Suffused with red. \$2.50 each.

MOOREANA. The midrib and margin of leaf are of a clear orange, with the blade crossed with parallel bands and stripes of the same color upon a deep green ground. \$1 to \$2.50.

QUEEN VICTORIA. The leaves are from 9 to 12 inches long, about 2 inches broad; the ground color is of a rich golden yellow, beautifully mottled with green, the midrib and veins are a rich magenta changing with age to a vivid crimson, a very showy variety. \$1.50.

AUCUBÆFOLIUM. 50 cts. DISRAELI. 50 ets. to \$1. INTERRUPTUM. 25 to 50 cts. IRREGULARIS. 50 cts. JOHANNIS. \$1. MAXIMUM. 50 ets. to \$1. RUBRUM PICTUM. 50 ets. to \$1. UNDULATUM. \$1. VARIEGATUM. 25 to 50 ets. VEITCHI. 50 cts. VOLUTUS. \$1. WEISMANNI. \$1.

### CYPERUS.

ALTERNIFOLIUS. 25 cts. VARIEGATUS. 50 cts.

CYPRIPEDIUM INSIGNIS. 75 ets. DAPHNE INDICA ALBA. 50 cts. to\$1. DIEFFENBACHIA.

BRAZILIENSIS. \$1. PICTA. 25 to 75 cts.

### DRACÆNA GOLDIANA.

One of the most magnificent ornamental foliage plants ever introduced and altogether unique in character and aspect. It is a native of Western Tropical Africa. The plant is of erect habit and the stems are closely set with stalked spreading leaves, the petioles of which are of a grayish color; terete with a narrow furrow along the upper side, the base being dilated and sheathing the stem. The blade of leaf is marbled and irregularly banded with dark green and silver gray in alternate straight bands, the colors being about equally distributed. The back of the unfolded leaves is a pale reddish purple or wine color, and the stem where visible. \$5 to \$10 each.

AMABILIS, 50 cts.

BRAZILIENSIS. 50 ets. to \$1.50.

COOPERI. 75 cts. DRACO. 50 cts. HYBRIDA. 75 cts.

HENDERSONI. 75 cts.

INDIVISA. 30 to 75 ets. STRICTA. 75 ets.

TERMINALIS. 25 ets. to \$1.50.

VEITCHI. 30 cts. to \$1. YOUNGI. 75 cts.

EPIPHYLLUM (Cactus).

Choice sorts, grafted on the Pereskia stock. 75 cts. to \$1.

### ERANTHEMUM PULCHELLUM.

30 ets

### EUPATORIUM RIPARIUM. 25 ets. EUCHARIS AMAZONICA.

Large fragrant pure white flowers, strong

blooming plants. 50 ets. to \$1. FARFUGIUM GRANDE.

The leaves are dark green, spotted with yellow, thick and leathery. Well adapted to oot and house culture. 50 cts.

FICUS (India Rubber Plant).

CHAUVERI. \$1.50. ELASTICA. The favorite. 25 cts. to \$2. PARCELLI. Variegated. \$1.

REPENS (creeping). 25 cts.
FERNS AND LYCOPODIUMS. cts.; \$2.50 per doz., except where noted.

ADIANTUM (Maiden Hair.) AMABILE.

ASSIMILE.

CONCINNUM.

CONCINNUM LATUM.

CUNEATUM.

FARLEYENSE. The most magnificent of Maiden Hair ferns. 50 cts. to \$1.

FORMOSUM. 50 cts.

GRACILLIMUM. 50 cts.

PUBESCENS. SEEMANI. 75 ets.

ST. CATHERINÆ.

TRAPEZIFORME, 50 cts.

ALSOPHILA AUSTRALIS. Australian tree fern. \$1 to \$2.

CHEILANTHES HIRTA.

CYRTOMIUM FALCATUM.

DAVALLIA MOOREANA. \$1.

DICKSONIA ANTARCTICA. Australian tree fern. \$2.

GYMNOGRAMMA. CHRYSOPHYLLA. (Golden Fern.)

DECOMPOSITA.

GYMNOGRAMMA. PERUVIANA ARGYRO-

PHYLLA. Finest silver fern. SULPHUREA. (Sulphur Fern.)

LASTRÆA PATENS

LOMARIA FALCATA. 75 cts.

CILIATA. 50 ets. GIBBA CRISPA. 75 ets.

LYGODIUM SCANDENS. (Japonicum.) A climbing Japanese fern of great beauty. 25 cts.

MICROLEPIA PIRTHA CRISTATA. crested fern of recent introduction and charming growth; very graceful and val-uable. 40 cts.

NEPHROLEPSIS EXALTATA. grower. 25 to 50 cts.

DAVALLIOIDES FURCANS (new). beautiful and ornamental crested fern of easy culture.

POLYSTICHUM ANGULARE.

POLYPODIUM AUREUM.

PTERIS ARGYREA. A very showy strong growing fern, with variegated foliage; excellent for interior or outside decoration.

CRETICA ALBO LINEATA.

HASTATA

PALMATA.

SERRULATA.

SERRULATA CRISTATA.

TREMULA.

SITILOBIUM CIRCUTARIEM. Strong grower.

#### SELAGINELLA. (Lycopodium.)

ARBOREA. Steel blue, creeping.

CÆSIA. Steel blue.

CORDATA.

DENSA. 15 ets.; \$1.50 per doz.

DENTICULATA. 15 ets.; \$1.50 per doz. DENTICULATA VARIEGATA. 15 ets. 15 cts.;

\$1.50 per doz. INVOLUCRATUM.

LEPIDOPHYLLUM OF ROCK-ROSE. Expands when placed in water.

LEPIDOPHYLLUM VARIEGATA. Species from Japan (new). Forming a green rosette with yellow tips. 30 cts.

MARTENSI COMPACTA. MARTENSI VARIEGATA.

PLUMOSA. UMBROSA.

SERPENS. WILDENOVI.

### FUCHSIA.

We offer a choice collection of single and double corolla varieties. 30 cts.; \$3 per doz. For description and other varieties, see "Dreer's Garden Calendar."

### GERANIUMS-New Double.

The best varieties of recent introduction.

The set of seven var. \$2.00.

DENFERT ROCHEREAU. Immense truss of fine salmon color, free. 30 cts.

ED. ANDRE. Large bright red, deeper in the centre, shaded with lilac. 50 cts.

GAMBETTA. Dark red, immense. 50 cts. MAD. THIERS. Large double white truss. 30 cts.

PURPUREA. Rich shade of purplish scar-let, fine. 30 cts.

THUMBERG. Carmine, of good form and substance. 50 cts.
VILLE DE NANCY. Tender rose color,

very chaste and lovely. 50 cts.

ZONALE GERANIUM S.—Double | HIBISCUS. 25 cts.; \$2.50 per doz. Flowering.

Twelve good old varieties, excelling in color and growth. 20 cts.; \$2.00 per doz. Aretusa. Deep rich scarlet.

BISHOP WOOD. Scarlet and carmine. CANDIDISSIMA PLENA. Snow white. CREMIEUX. Finest scarlet.

DEPUTY ANCELON. Violet rose.

DR. JACOBY. Nankeen salmon. ED. ABOUT. Salmon flaked with white. F. P. RASPAIL. Rich crimson scarlet. MAD. GRANDGEORGE. Carmine cherry. MAD. THIBAUT. Pink. MONS. BUCHLER. Deepest purplish crim-

ROBT. BUIST. Crimson.

ZONALE GERANIUM S .- Single Flowering.

The twelve best varieties of recent intro-

duction. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.
ADAM KOCK. Fiery scarlet. B. L. COURIER. Orange red. DAZZLER. Scarlet, white eye. GEN. SHERMAN. Crimson scarlet. ILLUSTRE CITOYEN. Orange, light centre. JOHN SALTER. Salmon.
JULES CROLES. Purplish searlet. MASTER CHRISTINE. Pink.
MRS. GEORGE SMITH. Salmon.
PRINCESS OF WALES. Orange salmon.

PUBLITY. White.
REV. MR. ATKINSON. Crimson.

IVY-LEAVED GERANIUMS.—

Double Flowering. Very desirable for winter decorations and pot plants, vases, baskets, etc. 25 cts.; \$2.50 per doz.

A zonale and ivy hybrid geran-Bijou. ium; bright scarlet flowers. KŒNIG ALBERT. Violet rose. LUCIE LEMOINE. White tinged.

LA FIANCEE. Bright lilac.

IVY-LEAVED GERANIUMS.—Sin-GLEAVED CONTROL 20 ets. gle Flowering. 20 ets. Variegated fo-

DUKE OF EDINBURGH. liage.

EMPEROR. Rose. FAVONIA. Carmine.

L'ELEGANTE. Foliage edged with creamy white.

BRONZE, TRICOLOR, SILVER and SCENTED-LEAF GERAN-SILVER IUMS, for a COMPLETE LIST of SINGLE AND DOUBLE FLOWERING ZONALE AND IVY GERANIUMS, please see "Dreer's Garden Calendar," for 1881.

GENISTA FRAGRANS. Orange flow-

ers, very fragrant. 25 cts.

HELIOTROPE. Very desirable winter blooming plants for pot culture. 15 cts.; \$1.50 per doz.

CHIEFTAIN. Lilac. ETOILE DE MARSEILLE. Bluish purple.

GRANDIFLORUM. Lilac. JULIETTE. Bluish lilac. MAD. BLONAY. White. NELLY. Blush white.

SNOW WREATH, White,
HOYA CARNOSA. Wax plant, Its thick fleshy leaves makes it admirably adapted to house culture. 25 to 50 cts.

ROSA SINENSIS. Large crimson.

White, variegated ALBA VARIEGATA. foliage.

AURANTICUM PLENA. Double salmon. COOPERI TRICOLOR. Variegated foliage. CRUENTUS. Double crimson. FOL. VARIEGATA. Yellow mottled. GRANDIFLORA. Large rose. LUTENS PLENA. Double yellow. METALLICUS. Bronzy foliage. MINIATUS SEMI-PLENA. Scarlet. RUBRA PLENA. Double crimson.

IMANTOPHYLLUM.

MINIATUM. \$1 to \$2. CYRTANTHIFLORUM, \$2.

VIVICANS. Scarlet. 50 cts.

#### IXORA.

BLANDA. White. 50 cts. COLEI. 50 cts. CROCATA RUTILANS. Salmon. 75 cts. JAVANICA. Orange. 50 cts. Rosea. Rose. 50 cts.

JASMINUM.

GRANDIFLORUM. The Catalonian Jasmine; white; fragrant. 25 to 50 cts. GRAND DUKE OF TUSCANY. Double white. 50 cts. SAMBAC. White. 50 cts.

LAURESTINUS. A desirable evergreen shrub for house culture, producing a profusion of white flowers. 30 cents.

MAHERNIA ODORATA.—Honey-

bell. Fragrant yellow flowers. 25 cts. MAGNOLIA FUSCATA. Fragrant. \$1.

MARANTA.

75 cts. BARAQUINI. BICOLOR. 50 ets. FASCIATA. 50 cts. MAKOYANA. 75 cts. MICANS. 30 cts. PRINCEPS. \$1. REGALIS. \$1. ROSEA-PICTA. \$1.50. ZEBRINA. 30 cts. ZEBRINA.

MYRSIPHYLLUM ASPARA-GOIDES.

The well-known SMILAX, used largely in decorating and cut flower work. 25 cts.

MYRTUS COMMUNIS. The favorite

sweet-scented Myrtle. 25 to 75 cts.
NERTERA DEPRESSA. Attra Attractive fruiting plant; brilliant orange red berries produced on dense cushion-like tufts. 50 cts.

OLEA FRAGRANS. Very fragrant olive.

OLEANDERS .- NERIUM.

ALBUM PLENUM. Double white. 50 cts. to \$1. ATROPURPUREUM PLENUM. Blood-red

crimson. 50 cts.

MADONI GRANDIFLORA, 30 cts.
SPLENDENS. Double pink, 30 cts.
ORANGE MANDARIN. The favorite miniature orange. 50 cts. to \$2. MYRTLE-LEAVED. \$1 to \$2.

PANDANUS.

UTILIS. Screw Pine. 50 cts. to \$1. VEITCHI. Handsomely variegated. \$1.50 PALM.

The following is a select list of rare and handsome varieties, which can be recom-mended of easy culture for apartments, conservatory decoration, or vase plants during the summer. The prices vary according to size and scarcity.

ARECA.

LUTESCENS. Fine yellow stems. \$3 to

VERSCHAFFELTI. One of the most elegant varieties. \$3 to \$10.

CARLUDOVICA PALMATA. \$1 to \$3. CHAMEROPS EXCELSA. A handsome fan palm. \$1 to \$3.

GIESBRECHTI. \$3.

HUMULIS. \$3.

COCOS WEDDELLIANA. One of the most graceful palms. \$5.

CORYPHA AUSTRALIS. (Australian Fan Palm.) 50 cts. to \$3. CURCULIGO RECURVATA.

Resembling a palm, useful for decorative purposes. 50 ets. to \$3.

CYCAS REVOLUTA. (Sago Palm.) \$10. BORBONICA. LATANIA (LIVISTONA) (Chinese Fun Pulm.) One of the handsomest. 50 cts. to \$5.
LIVISTONA OLIVÆFORMIS. A rare fan

palm. \$5.

OREODOXA REGIA. \$3.

DACTYLIFERA. (The PHŒNIX Date Palm.) \$2.50 to \$8.

RECLINATA. \$3. SYLVESTEIS. \$3 to \$10.

PRITCHARDIA (BRAHEA) FILIFERA. \$1

SEAFORTHIA ELEGANS. Of easy culture and very ornamental. \$1 to \$5.

NEW MONTHLY PELARGONIUMS.

The new type of Pelargonium commences

to bloom in December, and continues to July. For a winter flowering window plant they are unsurpassed, flowering freely and continuously in an ordinary living room where other plants cannot be grown. The flowers are plants cannot be grown. The flowers are large and perfect, of the Odier style of Fancy Pelargoniums, with fine blotched petals. First size, \$1. Second size, 50 ets.

F. DORNER. Throat and edge of petals pure white, shaded towards the centre with rich carmine pink. A glowing crimson blotch on each petal.

F. HEINL. Large flowers; open throat of pure white, each petal edged with white, shaded or pencilled with a deli-cate rosy pink, light pink blotch on each petal.

PELARGONIUMS.

A choice assortment of Spotted, Fancy and Regal varieties. 30 cts.; \$3 per doz. PEPEROMIA MACULOSA. 30 cts.

PETUNIA .- Double.

A choice set in good stock plants. 20 cts.; \$2 per doz.

HORMIUM (New Zealand Flax.) TENAX. Green. 75 cts. VEITCHI FOLIIS AUREIS VARIEGATIS. PHORMIUM

Very ornamental. \$1 to \$3.

PLEROMA.

ELEGANS. 30 cts. PURPUREA. 30 ets. PLUMBAGO.

ALBA. Pure white. 25 cts. CAPENSIS. Light blue. 25 cts. LARPENT.E. Dark blue. 20 cts. ROSEA. Rose. 50 cts.

POINSETTIA.

Bright scarlet bracts. PULCHERRIMA. 25 cts. to \$1.

Double dazzling scarlet PLENISSIMA.

bracts. \$1 to \$2.

PRIMULA .- Chinese Primrose. cts.; \$2.50 per doz.

ALBA FIMBRIATA. White fringed. DOUBLE WHITE. 75 cts. ERECTA SUPERBA. Vermilion. FILICIFOLIA. Fern-leaved. KERMESINA. Crimson.

ROSEA FIMBRIATA. Rose fringed. RHYNCOSPERMUM.

JASMINOIDES. White fragrant. 30 cts. AUREA VARIEGATA. 50 cts. White variegated, 50 VARIEGATA.

RICHARDIA.

ALBA MACULATA. Dwarf calla lily, with spotted leaves. 30 cts.

HASTATA. (The Yellow Calla.) Smaller

than the well-known white one, but a very charming flower of a soft yellow color, set off by a rich deep purple spot in the throat. 75 cts.

ROSES .- Winter-flowering.

Of this great favorite we grow a large stock of the best varieties in pots for winter-blooming. A dozen of the best are here given. For a complete list of varieties see "Dreer's Garden Calendar." Extra strong plants, 50 cts.; \$5 per doz. Second size, 30 cts.; \$3 per doz. Bella. White.

BON SILENE. Carmine, CANARIE. Fine yellow. CORNELIA COOK. Creamy white, DAVID PRADEL. Carmine shaded rose.

ISABELLA SPRUNT. Sulphur. LETTY COLES. A very beautiful pink color.

MARECHAL NIEL. Bright golden yel-

NIPHETOS. Pure white, long bud.

PEARLE DES JARDINS. Beautiful deep canary, large bud.

SAFRANO. Saffron yellow. SOUVENIR D'UN AMIE. Bright rose, large.

ROSES for training on greenhouse rafters.

LAMARKE. Pure white. 50 cts. MARECHAL NIEL. Golden yellow, very large buds. 30 cts. to \$1.50, according to size. When these varieties are established in a house by being planted out, they produce an enormous quantity of buds.

SENECIO.-German or Parlor Ivy.

15 cts. each; \$1.50 per doz.

MACROGLOSSUS. Metallic green, resembling English Ivy; rapid creeper.

SCANDENS. Light green leaves; rapid

creeper. VARIEGATA. Variegated leaves.

STEPHANOTIS FLÖRIBUNDA. Clusters of pure white, fragrant flowers; climber for hot house. 75 cts.

#### STEVIA.

Compact spikes of fine white ODORATA. fragrant flowers. 25 cts.; \$2.50 per doz. SERRATA VARIEGATA. Handsome variegated foliage; largely used in ribbon beds. 25 cts.; \$2.50 per doz. STRELITZIA REGINA. The Queen

plant. \$2.50 to \$4. TRADESCANTIA MULTICOLOR. Longitudinally marked and banded with green, white, purple, and flushed with pink. 20 cts.

VERBENAS.

A choice collection of named varieties in good stock plants at this season. \$1 per doz.; \$6 per 100.

VIOLETS, DOUBLE.

These are very essential to winter bouquets; they thrive best in frames near the glass, with little heat, excepting very cold nights. Clumps, 30 cts.; \$3 per doz. Belle de Chatenay. White, very large

and double; a spring flowering variety.

MARIE LOUISE. Deep violet blue, fra-

grant and free; one of the best.
EAPOLITAN. Light blue, large and fra-NEAPOLITAN. grant; good.

ODORATA FL. PL. Double, very dark blue.

QUEEN VICTORIA. Large, single, blue, fragrant and free.

SCHENBRUN. Single, deep blue; fragrant.

WHITE CZAR. Single, white; very free.

#### GREENHOUSE AND HOTHOUSE CLIMBERS.

The following varieties will be found very useful in training on the rafters, or on wires in the greenhouse or hothouse, for either winter or summer decoration and flowering:

BIGNONIA VENUSTA. Brilliant orange flowers. 50 cts. to \$1.

CISSUS DISCOLOR. Beautiful foliage.

CLERODENDRON BALFOURI. Calyx pure white; corolla brilliant scar-25 to 75 ets.

FICUS REPENS. A beautiful creeper. 25 cts

LYGODIUM SCANDENS. The creeping Japanese Fern. 25 cts.

PASSIFLORA.

ALATA. Pale blue, crimson cup. 25 cts. CŒRULEA. Blue cup. 25 cts. DECAISNEANA. Blue, red cup. 50 cts. PRINCEPS. Scarlet. 50 cts. RACEMOSA. 25 cts. RACEMOSA.

RHYNCOSPERMUM.

JASMINOIDES. Pure white, jasmine scented. 30 cts.

AUREA VARIEGATA. 50 cts.

ARGENTEA VARIEGATA. 50 cts. SENECIO.—Parlor Ivy. 15 cts.; \$1.50 per doz.

MACROGLOSSA. Metallic green leaves. SCANDENS, Light green leaves,
VARIEGATA, Variegated,
SMILAX. The universal favorite, 25 cts.

### STEPHANOTIS FLORIBUNDA. Fragrant white flowers. 75 cts.

TACSONIA VAN VOLXEMI. scarlet. 25 cts.

THUNBERGIA LAURIFOLIA. Pale blue. 50 cts.

TROPÆOLUM GEANT DES BA-TAILLES. Crimson. 25 ets.

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### PLANTS for HANGING BASKETS, VASES, WARDIAN CASES, FERNERIES AND WINDOW BOXES; suitable for the Winter season.

ABUTILON VEXILLARIUM PICTUM. 25 ets. ACORUS GRAMINÆUS VARIEGATUS. 25

BEGONIA. Of sorts. 30 cts. CISSUS DISCOLOR. 30 cts. DRACÆNA. Of sorts. 25 ets. to \$1.50. DIEFFENBACHIA. Of sorts. 25 cts. to \$1. EUONYMUS RADICANS VARIEGATA.

FERNS. Of sorts. 25 ets.; \$2.50 per doz. FICUS REPENS. A small-leaved creeper.

25 cts. HYDROCOTYLE LURIDA. 15 cts. IVIES. Of sorts. 25 cts. LINARIA CYMBALLARIA. 15 cts. LYCOPODIUMS. 15 to 25 ets. MUHLENBACHIA ROTUNDIFOLIA. 25 cts. OTHONNA CRASSIFOLIA. 15 cts. PANICUM VARIEGATUM. 20 cts. Peristrophe angustifolia aurea. 20 ets.

REINEKIA CARNEA VARIEGATA. 25 cts. RUSSELIA JUNCIA. Scarlet flowers. 25

SAXIFRAGIA FORTUNI. 20 cts. TRICOLOR. Very fine. 35 cts. SENECIO MACROGLOSSUS. 15 cts. SCANDENS. 15 ets.

VARIEGATA. 15 cts.
TRADESCANTIA AQUATICA. Green. 15.

cts. DISCOLOR. Violet purple leaves, fine for centre plant. 30 cts.

TRADESCANTIA VITTATA. Green, striped white. 15 cts.

Dark. 15 cents. ZEBRINA.

VINCA MAJOR VARIEGATA. 15 cts. IVIES.

When trained to screens or trellises, are very desirable for vestibule and hall decoration. Their refreshing green foliage will bear any amount of ill-usage.

N. AUREA MACULATA. 50 cts. DIGITATA. 50 cts. HELIX. English Ivy. 25 to 50 ets. LACINIATUS. Small cut. 50 cts. LOBATA. Cut-leaved. 25 cts.

A Complete List of Hardy Flowering Shrubs, Rhododendrons, Azaleas, Honeysuckles, Vines and Creepers will be found in "Dreer's Garden Calendar," mailed on application.

### SMALL FRUITS.

### STRAWBERRY PLANTS - POT-GROWN

Circular of descriptions, how, when and where to plant, will be mailed on application. Pot-grown plants, if planted in the autumn, will give a good crop the following spring. The following choice varieties have spring. been prepared in this way.

BLACK DEFIANCE. Large dark crimson

berry, firm and handsome. CAPT. JACK. Bright red, firm, prolific, and good grower.

DOWNING. Early, bright crimson, CHAS. DOWNING.

conical, productive. CUMBERLAND TRIUMPH. Large, smooth,

light scarlet color, strong. GREAT AMERICAN. Under some cultivation produces the largest berries.

JUCUNDA (Knox 700). Glossy crimson, firm, large size; good bearer in some sections.

Very large, MONARCH OF THE WEST. good flavor; strong grower.

SETH BOYDEN (Boyden's No. 30). Very large, conical, with neck, dark crimson, firm, melting and sweet; an excellent sort. SHARPLESS SEEDLING. The largest size

oblong form, clear light red color, firm flesh, first in quality; plant vigorous, luxuriant and hardy.

TRIOMPHE DE GAND. Large, conical, sometimes coxcomb, scarlet, rich and

spicy. WILSON. Large, dark, crimson, firm, acid

and sprightly POT-GROWN PLANTS. 75 cts. per doz.; \$3 per 100.

#### LAYER PLANTS.

| Grown in the ord       | inary  | way.    |        |
|------------------------|--------|---------|--------|
|                        | Doz.   | 100     | 1000   |
| Bidwell                | \$1.00 | \$4.00  |        |
| Black Defiance         | 50     | 1.50    | \$8.00 |
| Capt. Jack             | 50     | 1.50    |        |
| Charles Downing        | 25     | 1.00    | 6.00   |
| Cumberland Triumph     | 50     | 1.50    |        |
| Glendale               | 50     | 2.00    |        |
| Jucunda (Knox 700)     | 50     | 2.00    | 10.00  |
| Longfellow             | 50     | 2.00    |        |
| Marvin                 | 50     | 2.00    |        |
| Monarch of the West    | 50     | 1.50    | 8,00   |
| Red Jacket             | 50     | 2.00    |        |
| Seth Boyden (Boyden's  |        |         |        |
| No. 30)                | 50     | 1.50    | 8.00   |
| Sharpless Seedling     |        | 2.00    | 10.00  |
| Triomphe de Gund       | 50     | 2.00    | 10.00  |
| Wilson's Albany        |        | 1.00    | 5.00   |
| Add 25 cts. per 100 wl |        |         | to be  |
| sent by mail.          |        | , acrea |        |
|                        |        |         |        |

### NEW VARIETIES.

BIDWELL. Bright crimson, large, good grower.

GLENDALE. The best late valiety, good grower, scarlet color.

Large, smooth, deep rich LONGFELLOW. crimson color.

Pot-grown plants of the above varieties, \$1 per doz.

### GRAPE VINES .- Hardy Varieties.

One year old vines, 30 cts.; \$3 per doz. Two years old, 50 cts.; \$5 per doz. Agawam (Roger's No. 15). Red. Aminia (Roger's No. 39). Blackish purple. Barry (Roger's No. 43). Black, sweet. Catawba. Red, covered with lilac bloom.

CATAWBA. Red, covered with the CLINTON. Black, berries small, good for wines.

CONCORD. oncord. Black, large berry, sweet and aromatic. This is, without exception, the most valuable grape for general cultiva-

CREVELING. Small black fruit. CRISTINE, or TELEGRAPH.

DELAWARE. Red, bunches and berries small.

DIANA. Pale red, medium size, musky flavor.

EUMELAN. Black, large bunches and berries.

(Roger's No 41). Black, medium Essex sweet.

GOETHE (Roger's No. 1). Yellowish green, red on sunny side; excellent table grape.

HARTFORD PROLIFIC. Black, early.

IONA. Red, medium berries.

ISABELLA. Black, large. ISRAELLA. Black.

LADY. A new white grape of considerable reputation. 75 cts.

LINDLEY (Roger's No. 9). Long red bunch. MARTHA (White Concord). White, berries large, very sweet, with fine, spicy aroma, vine healthy and hardy.

MERRIMAC (Roger's No. 19). Black, early. SALEM (Roger's No. 53). Light chestnut color, large, sweet and aromatic.

WILDER (Roger's No. 4). Purplish black, early.

### FOREIGN GRAPE-VINES FOR GROWING UNDER GLASS.

A stock of all the best varieties in good healthy condition, grown in large pots, expressly for graperies. List of varieties mailed on application.

One-year old vines, \$1.00; two-year old

vines, \$2.

One-year old vines, extra strong, \$1.50; two-year old vines, extra strong, \$3.

CONOVER'S COLOSSAL ASPAR. AGUS ROOTS. Strong two-year old roots. \$1.25 per 100; \$8 per 1000.

### RHUBARB ROOTS.

MYATT'S LINNÆUS. MYATT'S VICTORIA. These are not seedlings, but propagated from the true varieties. 20 cts.; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10 per 100.

HORSE-RADISH SETS. 75 cts. per 100; \$5 per 1000.

TARRAGON ROOTS. For flavoring. 30 cts.; \$3 per doz.

A complete list of small fruits will be found in Dreer's Garden Calendar, mailed free to all applicants.

### PLORISTS' AND AMATEURS' REQUISITES.

### CUT FLOWERS, IMMORTELLES, GRASSES, ETC.

Bouquets of Cut Flowers, etc.—Among other evidences of refinement and culture is the increasing taste and demand for natural flowers, for the decoration of dinner and supper tables, churches, weddings, funerals, etc. Flowers are acceptable and suitable for every occasion. We having the facilities are prepared to execute orders for every kind of floral device or decoration, having daily a supply at the store. They can be packed so as to carry safely for one or two days journey by express. In sending your orders mention the latest time that will do to receive the flowers in your town; often we receive the orders after the time they are wanted, or after the express has gone, and then have no opportunity to send in time, hence the disappointment to those sending their orders. The prices vary according to the scarcity of flowers and the senson, which are always more expensive during the holidays. Prices given when desired on any particular design.

### FRENCH IMMORTELLES, OR EVERLASTING FLOWERS.

In original bunches as imported, 60 cts. Bunches of assorted colors, 75 cts. The following are the colors we import: yellow, green, orange-red, black, spotted, white, carnation-red, crimson, blue, and violet.

#### WREATHS OF WHITE OR COLORED IMMORTELLES.

| 9 inches diam., two rows of flowers\$1.00 | 14 inches diam., three rows of flowers\$2.50 |
|---|--|
|   | 15 inches diam., three " " " 3.00            |
| 12 inches diam., three " " 2.00           | 15 inches diam., four " " 4.00               |

#### CROSSES OF WHITE OR COLORED IMMORTELLES.

|                             | 12 inches, three rows of flowers\$1.75 |
|-----------------------------|--|
| 10 inches, two " " " 1.00   | 15 inches, three " " 2.00              |
| 10 inches, three " " " 1.50 | 18 inches, three " "                   |

Bouquets and other designs made to order of Immortelles, Grasses, and Everlasting Flowers, combined or separate, as may be desired; prices will be given on application.

EACH PER DOZ I



Ornamental Grasses and Everlasting Flowers, of natural colors or dyed-have become almost indispensable articles for Florists' use, as well as amateurs in bouquet-making and arranging fancy and ornamental designs for Church, House and Parlor decora-tions. We offer the following varieties, put up in small bunches all of one color, natural or dyed, as may be desired. Prices for large quantities, or by the pound, given on application.

Pampas Grass Plumes, of a beautiful silvery appearance, 12 to 30 inches long, exclusive of stem, retaining their beauty for years. Ours are the finest California Plumes. They can be sent by mail with safety. When received they should be gently shaken over the hot air of a furnace register, or in front of a fire for a few moments, which will develop their beauty.

| No. 1, Pampas Plumes\$ 50 \$4.50                | No. 3, Pampas Plumes\$ 25                | \$2.50 |
|---|--|--------|
| No. 2, " " 35 3.00                              | No. 4, " 20                              | 2.00   |
| Grasses of natural colors                       | per bunch, each 15 cts., per doz.        | 1.50   |
| Grasses dyed of various colors and bleached wh  | ite " " 20 cts., " "                     | 2.00   |
| Grass Stipa Pennata (Feather Grass), White Na   | tural " 20 cts., " "                     | 2.00   |
| " " dyed of va                                  |  | 2.50   |
| Grasses of mixed varieties and colors           | per large bunch, 50 cts., " "            | 5.00   |
| Bleached Wheat and Oats                         |  | 2.50   |
| French Moss, dyed green, for immortelle work,   | etc.per bunch, 20 cts., per doz. bunches | 2.00   |
| Fern Leaves Pressed, for decorating rooms, etc. | per doz. fronds, 25 to                   | 50     |
| " Hartford or Climbing, in beautiful long s     | prayseach 10 cts., per doz.              | 50     |
| Autumn Leaves, in long sprays, from 4 to 5 ft.  | longper spray, 50 cts. "                 | 5.00   |
| " in great variety                              | per doz., 15 to 20, per 100, 50 to       | 1.00   |
| Lycopodium Greens, of extra quality for making  | ig up Bouquetsper lb., 25 cts., per bbl. | 3.50   |
| Twine, very fine, for tying bouquets            | per lb.                                  | 60     |
| Fine Wire, of different sizes, for bouquets     | per lb.                                  | 30     |
| ksper box of 2500 .20   Tin Fe                  | il for bouquet handlesper lb.            | 30     |
|   |  |        |

from 25 to 40 cts. Glass Tubes, for button-hole Bouquets, without pin, each,

10 cts., per doz., 75 cts. Glass Tubes, for button hole Bouquets, with pin, each,

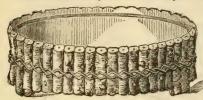
10 cts., per doz., \$1.00. Ladies' Brooch or Flower holder, fern frond, bronze, each, 50 cts., per doz., \$5.00.



ITALIANS

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|--|------------------------|----------|
| HYACINTH GLASSES, LAVA-WARE, ETC.                                  | EACH.                  | PER DOZ. |
| Hyacinth Glasses American, flint or clear, blue, green, and violet | <b>\$</b> 0 <b>1</b> 5 | \$1.50   |
| Bohemian, flint or clear, blue, green, purple, small               | 15                     | 1.50     |
| ". iffint or clear, blue, green, purple, large                     | 20                     | 2.00     |
| Fancy colors and patterns  | 30 to 75               |          |
| Belgian, vase-shaped, clear, green, blue and purple                |                        | 2.50     |
| Tye's style, flint or clear, blue, green and violet                | 20                     | 2.00     |

| Ornamental Lava Hanging-Baskets.—8 to 10 inches in diameter, asserted                      |           |       |        |
|--|-----------|-------|--------|
| patterns, with chainseach from   | \$0.75    | to    | \$1.50 |
| 6 to 10 inches in diameter, rustic patterns, with chains                                   | 1.00      | to    | 2.00   |
| Imitation of logs, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 15 inches long, with chainseach 75, 1.00,                | 1.25, 1.5 | io an | d 1.75 |
| Ornamental Lava Flower-Pots.—Fancy patterns of various sizeseach from                      | 50        | to    | 3.00   |
| Fancy Hyacinth Pots, with extra inside pot 7 in. deep, 41/2 in. diam., per doz. \$6.00each | 60        |       |        |
| Bee Hives for Crocus, etc  | 1.00      | to    | 1.50   |
| Hedgehogs for Crocus, etc  | 1.00      | to    | 2.50   |
| Snowdrop, or Violet Disheach   | 75        |       |        |
| Rustic Tree Stomps, 7 and 12 inches high, for bulbs or plantseach from                     | 1.00      | to    | 2.50   |
| Large Rustic Bulb or Fern Dish. each   | 2.50      |       |        |
| Mignonette Window-Box, for plants. cach from   | 1.25      | to    | 2.00   |
| Large Rustic Plant or Bulb Window Box, 19 inches long                                      | 2.00      | to    | 3.00   |
| Large Rustic Plant or Bulb Window Box, imitation of logs, 25 inches longeach               | 3.50      |       |        |
| Window Boxes of the finest English tiles, very ornamental, of various sizes and patterns.  |           |       |        |
| each contains a zinc pan for the soil and plantseach from                                  | 5.00      | to    | 20.00  |
|  |           |       |        |



Terra Cotta Fern Stands for glass shades, which make beautiful small ferneries, and are much in demand. The stand is made with a rim for the shade to rest on.

Rustic, resembling wood as per cut, for a 111/2 inch shade. \$2.50.

Rustic pattern, very ornamental, 11 inch shade. \$2.00. Rustic ornamented, 934 inch shade. \$1.50. Rustic 7 to 9 inch shades, from 75 cts. to \$1.00.

We also have on hand a fine assortment of different sizes and styles, very handsomely ornamented; ranging in price from \$1.00 to \$3.50.

Glass shades for the above according to size of Fern

Dish, each from 75 cts. to \$2.50.

We also fill the above Fern Dishes with suitable plants from \$1 to \$3, according to size. Wardian Cases .- Made in the best manner and style, of black walnut. Very popular for the growing of plants, ferns, etc., during the winter. The plants being under glass are protected from dust, and require but little care, or water. A movable tray, lined with zinc, contains the pots, or earth; a perfect security against seiling carpets with dirty water.

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Size, 4 ft. high, 2½ feet long, and 20 in. wide, with legs which can be disconnected, and the whole makes but a small package for transportation. \$25.00.

Size, 15 by 20 inches, without feet. \$15.00.

Size, 12 by 12 inches, without feet and immovable tray. \$5.00.

Large Hexagon Shape, and beautiful revolving stand \$25.00.

Wooden Plant Stands.—A useful and cheap folding-stand for arranging plants both in and out ors. Neatly made and painted green. The frame folds together, making a compact and convenient article for transportation and storage.

Wire Plant Stands .- Light, strong, durable, with castors, and very ornamental. 

Wire Hanging Baskets.—Galvanized of various sizes, each from 25 to 75 cts.

Wire Work, of all designs as well as sizes, supplied to order at the lowest market prices.

Bell, or Propagating Glasses.—Made strong, with an extra heavy rim; the size refers to diameter. 

boxes of I dozen; per box, 15 cents.

Rustic Hanging Baskets, 6, 8, 10 and 12-inch bowls, each \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Rustic Plant Stands, each from \$3 to \$10.

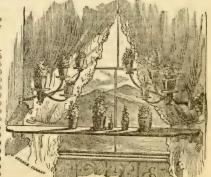
Rustic Chairs and Settees, each from \$6 to \$10.

Expanding Adjustable Flower Pot-Covers—An elegant and convenient article for covering Flower Pots. Black Walnut, for 5, 6, 7 and 8-inch pots, each 20, 25, 30 and 35 cents; also made of other wood.

### IRON FLOWER-POT BRACKETS.

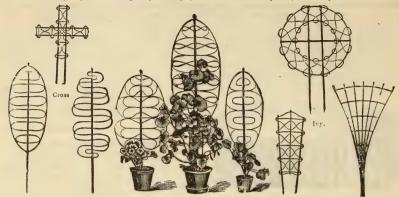
Of beautiful designs and various sizes, and are made to swing, so that they can be easily moved out of the way of the curtain, as per brackets in illustration.

| No.  |    |       |          |                    | EACH. |
|------|----|-------|----------|--------------------|-------|
| 1994 | ő  | inch  | tray,    | antique            | 80 25 |
| 1946 | 4  | 4.6   |          | 46                 | 35    |
| 45   | 5  | 66    | 44       | 66                 | 40    |
| 12a  | 6  | 66    |          | bronze             | 50    |
| 1836 | 5  | 66    | 4.6      | blue               | 50    |
| 1882 | 5  | 46    | 66       | antique            | 50    |
| 20   | 6  | 16 "  | 44       | bronze             | 50    |
| 1    | 5  | - 16  | 66       | 66                 | 50    |
| 1962 | 6  | 66    | 46       | antique            | 80    |
| 13   | 6  | 66    | 4.6      | gilt               | 85    |
| 1853 | 61 | 12 4  | 47       | purple             | 1 00  |
| 2090 |    | frays | . 51/6 i | nch diam., antique | 90    |
| 2146 | 2  |       | 5        | 66 66 66           | 1 00  |
| 49   | 2  | 66    | 5 an     | d 6 in. diam., "   | 1 00  |
| 4    | 2  | 6.6   |          | d 6 in. "bronze    | 1 50  |
| 701  | 2  | 4.6   | 5 an     | d 6 in. "gilt      | 2 50  |



Flower-pot shelves and brackets, shelf 3 feet long (as per shelf illustration), each \$1.50 and \$2.50.

WOODEN TRELLISES FOR FLOWER-POTS AND GARDEN.
THESE trellises are in all cases made of reeds painted green, instead of wire. They retain their shape and form better, are much lighter and equally durable. From their peculiar shape, large numbers can be put into a small space; thus making freight charges, even to most distant points, come very low.



| •            |                        |          |       |         |         | _     |        |         |        |         |           |            |        |           |
|--------------|------------------------|----------|-------|---------|---------|-------|--------|---------|--------|---------|-----------|------------|--------|-----------|
| No. 01/2.    |                        | No. 0, 1 |       |         | 0. 2.   | No. 3 |        | No. 1   |        |         | ndah.     |            | Fan.   |           |
| No. 0, wide, | 24×8 in                | ı, wide. | each  | 12 cts. | Per doz |       | Ivy    |         |        |         | ea        | ch 60 cts. | Per do | z. \$6 00 |
|              | 24×71/2                |          |       |         | 44      | 1 50  | 46     |         | 20 "   | 44      | ***       | 80         | 66     | 8 00      |
| No. 1,       | $30\times10^{\circ}$ i | n. "     | 66    | 25 "    | 46      | 2 50  | 44     | .68     | 24 "   | 4.5     | 66        | \$1.00     | 66     | 10 00     |
| No. 2,       | $30 \times 14$         | 66 66    | 66    | 40 "    | 46      | 4 00  | Vera   | indah s | shape, | 2 ft. h | igh "     | 30         | 66     | 3 50      |
| No. 31/2     | $42 \times 14$         | 46 46    | 66    | 50 "    | 66      | 5 00  | Ì      | 44      | 66     | 3 "     | 66 66     | 50         | 66     | 5 00      |
| Fan shape,   |                        |          |       |         | 46      | 3 50  | · Cros | 8       | +6     | 2 ".    | 65 66     | 30         | . 64   | 3 50      |
| 4 4 4        | 31/2 "                 | ******   | ** 66 | 60 "    | 66      | 6 00  | 66     |         | . 66   | 3 "     | ** *** ** | 50         | 66,    | 5 00      |

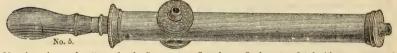
### TAPERING FLOWER-POT AND GARDEN STICKS.

|     | Mad   | de light : | and of di | urable wo | od, | pain | ted gre | een,    | The | Dahlio | Stick. | s are two-t | hirds heav | rier tha | n the otl | hers. |    |
|-----|-------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----|------|---------|---------|-----|--------|--------|-------------|------------|----------|-----------|-------|----|
| 11  | رِ ft | ., taperir | ıg        | Per doz., | 20  | cts. | Per 1   | 00, \$1 | 00  | 5 ft., | taperi | ng          | Per doz    | \$1 00   | Per 100   | , \$7 | 00 |
| 2   | - 66  | - 6        |           | 44        | 35  | 66   | 66      | 2       | 0() | 3 ".   | 4.6    | Dahlia,     | 44         | 85       | 44        |       | 00 |
| : 1 | 6 "   | £ C        |           | 66        | 50  | 46   | 64      | 3       | 00  | 4 "    | 66     | 46 ,        | 66         | 1 00     | 66        | 7     | 00 |
| 3   | 66    | .4         |           | 66        | 60  | 66   | 66      | 4       | 00  | 5 "    | 8.6    | 66          | 44-        | 1 25     | 44        | 8     | 50 |
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### WOODEN PLANT AND TREE LABELS.

| Plant 4 in. longper | 100, 15 cts. | Per 1000, \$1 00 | Nursery, 12 in. longper<br>Tree, notched for | 100, 8 | 81 00 | Per 1000 | <b>\$</b> 6 | 50 |
|---------------------|--------------|------------------|--|--------|-------|----------|-------------|----|
| 6 5 6               | " 20 "       | " 1 25           | Tree, notched for                            | , -    |       |          |             |    |
| " 6 "               | " 25 "       | " 1 50           | wire, 4 in. long                             | 66     |       | 44       |             |    |

### AMERICAN IMPROVED BRASS GARDEN SYRINGES, ETC.



New Bellows Syringe.—An invention for showering plants with insect-killing liquids—or clear water to cleanse house plants from dust and keep the foliage in a healthy condition; operating the same way as the atomizer or spray-sprinklers. The liquid is put into the brass globe and the bellows worked; a fine spray issues in a copious stream that is easy to reach every part of the plant. \$3.50.

Elastic Plant Sprinkler.—This is a very convenient article—and much preferred by the ladies, as it is so easily worked by pressing the rubber together with the hand—for sprinkling Bouquets and Window-Gardening Plants, to cleause their foliage and keep them in a healthy growing condition, as well as for dampening clothes. It is made of Rubber, and brass perforated, detachable top. \$1.00; by mail, postpaid, \$1.25.

Hydronette, or Fountain Pump.—The improved double-action pump for watering and syringing plants; not liable to get out of order, being made of brass, with India-rubber Hose to draw the water, and throws a continuous stream. \$8.00.

Excelsior Pump and Portable Fire-Engine.—This compact, portable Engine can be used for all herticultural purposes, etc. All its working-parts are of brass, and of easy access to the valves, which can be cleansed at any time. It will draw the water from a stream, tank, or pail near by or at a distance, is of simple construction and easily worked, throwing a continuous stream fifty feet. Price, \$9.00. Extra hose, if required, at 20 cents per foot, and the extra attachments for applying the same, 50 cents.

Aquarius Force Pump.—A powerful small pump, throws eight gallons of water per minute from fifty to sixty feet, drawing the water from a stream, tank, or will lift it from a depth of twenty feet. \$9.00.

Watering-Pots, Japanned Green.—The French patiern is considered an improvement over the old style of Watering-Pots. It being oval, and the handle extending from the side to the opposite side on top, makes it convenient to handle, it can be used and tilted with one hand to any desired angle without any extra exertion. We have these pots made of extra heavy tin with an iron-hoped base, to protect the sides and bottom from being indented, with an extra spout and two copper-faced roses, fine and coarse, and japanned inside and outside; the spout can be detached, and the rose or sprinkler put on for watering seedlings and fine plants.

4 quart ... \$2.00. 6 quart ... \$2.50. 8 quart ... \$3.00. 12 quart ... \$3.50.

We also have mide e-pecially for our trade the Round Watering-Pot of extra heavy tin, and iron-hooped bottom with two copper-faced roses, fine and coarse, japanned inside and outside.

tom, with two copper-faced roses, fine and coarse, japanned inside and outside.
6 quart......\$2,50. 8 quart......\$3,00. 12 quart......\$3,50.
Common tin round Watering-Pots, j-panned inside and outside.
4 quart......\$0,85. 6 quart......\$1,25. 8 quart

16 quart.....\$4.00.

8 quart......\$1.50.

Sulphur Bellows, or Floral and Vintage Duster, for the extermination of bugs, worms, insects, and mildew upon grape-vines, etc. By the use of this implement the flour of sulphur can be evenly distributed over every part of the affected plant. \$2.00.

The Eureka Fumigator .- After many unsuccessful attempts, we have found an effectual apparatus for the funigating of greenhouses, etc., doing away with the un-pleasant duty of being smoked almost to death by the old mode, as they required constant

retention to prevent the tobacco stems from burning to a blaze, and destroying the plants in getting rid of the pests that infest them.

This apparatus, made of sheet-iron, is of simple construction, and not liable to get out of order. When once lif, it is self-acting, and may be left in the house with perfect safety, as flaring is an impossibility, and setting anything on fire out of the question, while all the material is completely consumed without waste and given off in a deuse smoke, filling

a house in a short time, thus insuring the entire destruction of insect life.

It can be used for the following purposes: Greenhouses, Conservatories, Pils, Primes, Hospitals, Sip., Poulry Houses, etc.; for destroying vermin or purifying rooms. Directions for use sent with each apparatus.

No. 1. Height 12 in., diameter at top, 5 in. Suitable for a house 10x20 ft. Holds ½-peck of stems......Price \$2 00

No. 2. Height 16 in., diameter at top, 7 in. Suitable for a house 12x40 ft. Holds 1 peck of stems...Price \$3 00 No. 3. "20" " 9" " 15x100 ft. " ½ bus. " ... " 4 44 5 00

#### INSECT DESTROYERS AND FERTILIZERS.

Combined Soaps, Whale Oil as the body, with Carbolic Acid, Hellebore, Tobacco, Guano, etc. One of the

Combined Soaps, Whale Oil as the body, with Carbolic Acid, Helkebore, Tohacco, Guano, etc. One of the most effective compounds for destroying insects infesting plants, vines, and trees. Directions for use, with each can. ½-1b. can, 25 cts.; 1 lb., 40 cts. Each, by mail—½-b. 40 cts., and 1 lb. can 65 cts. each.

Gishurst's Compound, for the destruction of the Green, Brown, and Black Fly, Mildew, Thrip, Mealy Bug and Scale. Per box, 75 cts. By mail, \$1.

Bridgeford's Antiseptic Liquid, for the removal of all parasites, lichens, and insects injurious to plants, trees, shrubs, vines, etc. In bottles, with directions, of 80 cts. and \$1.25 cach. (Not mailable.)

Grafting Wax, of first quality, put up in convenient rolls for grafting; also good for cuts and bruises on trees, which causes them to head up rapidly. Put up, with directions for use, 1 lb., 40 cts.; ½-lb., 25 cts.; and ½-lb., 15 cts. By mail. 16 cents per lb., or fraction thereof, additional for postage

Bowker's Ammoniated Food for Flowers.—A fertilizer made especially for plants grown in the conservatory, house, or garden. Clean, free from offensive odor, largely s while in water, producing healthy plants free from vermin, early and abundant flowers, to which it imparts a rich and brilliant hue. Full directions with each bag or package. Per package, 35 cts., by mail, 50 cts.; dozen packages, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ t. by mail 50 cts.; dozen packages, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ t. by mail 50 cts.; dozen packages, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ t. by mail 50 cts.; dozen packages, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ t. by so followed the second packages. tions with each bag or package. Per package, 33 cts., by mail, 50 cts.; dozen packages, \$4; bags of 5 lbs., 75 cts.; 10 lbs., \$1.25; and 50 lbs., \$3.50.

Peruvian Guamo (Pure).—For pot plants and garden purposes. When used as a liquid manure its effect is almost immediate. Put up in boxes, with directions, 15 cts. (by mail, 40 cts.), 30 cts. (by mail, 85 cts.),

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#### BASS, MATS, TOOLS, ETC.

| Cuba Bass and Roffea, for tying up plants, vines, and buddingper lb. Bass, 50c.; Roffea \$ Mats (Russian Bass) for tying, etc., second-hand, first quality |     |      |
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| Mats " for covering hot-beds, second-hand, second quality  |     |      |
| Tobacco Stems, for fumigating plantsper lb., 25 cts.; per sack of 5 bus.   |     |      |
| Sphagnum Moss for packing plants; also used for growing Orchidsper bbl.  |     |      |
| Jersey Peat for potting house-plants, etc. (to be mixed with the soil)per bbl.   | 1 . | 50   |
| Propagating Sand per bbl.  | 3   | ()() |
| Saynor's and other makers' Pruning Knives, various patterns and sizes  |     |      |
| Saynor's and other makers' Budding Knives, various patterns and sizes  |     |      |
| Hand-pruning Shears, of different sizes, for pruning fruit-trees, etc  |     |      |
| Pruning Saws, 14, 16, 18, and 20 inches long   |     |      |
| Water's Improved Tree Pruner, with pole and wire attachment for cutting, 6, 8 & 10 ft. poles2 50, 2 75,  |     |      |
| Pole Pruning Shears (Averancator), for poles and cordfrom 2 50 to  |     |      |
| Long-handled Lopping Shears, for pruning trees, etc  | 5   | UU   |
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### BOOKS ON WINDOW-GARDENING, GREENHOUSE, ETC.

| Will be mailed free on receipt of price.   |    |
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| Gardener's Dictionary (G. W. Johnson), giving the botanical names, their origin, etc., English work \$3 50 | 0  |
| Leuchar's How to Build and Ventilate Hot-Houses  | 0  |
| Rand's Flowers for the Parlor and Garden   | 0  |
| " Hardy and Tender Bulbs 2 5   | 0  |
| " Window Gardener (new edition)  |    |
| Randolph's Parlor Gardener   | 0  |
| Window Gardening (H. T. Williams), elegantly illustrated   |    |
| William's (B. S.) Choice Stove and Greenhouse Plants, 2 vols., English works                               | 0  |
| " Orchid Growers' Manual, English work   | 63 |
| " Select Ferns and Lycopods, English work 9 5  |    |

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Suitable for sowing during the autumn and winter, thereby securing strong plants for flowering during the spring. Most of the varieties are useful for winter bouquets; and are all mailed free of postage at the following prices. For full directions, see *Dreer's Garden Calendar* for 1881.

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| ANTIRRHINUM, or Snap-dragon. Mixed 05  | LOMARIA GIBBA. Dwarf tree fern 25  |
| AQUILEGIA. Double mixed  | MIMULUS MOSCHATUS. Musk plant 10   |
| ALYSSUM. White, sweet-scented 05   | MIMULUS. Choice hybrid varieties mixed 10  |
| ACACIA. Choice mixed varieties 20  | MIMULUS TIGRINUS DUPLEX. Double  |
| ACACIA. Choice mixed varieties   | hose-in-hose, spotted flowers 20   |
| AGAPANTHUS UMBELLATUS. Blue 25   | MIGNONETTE. Parson's New white 10  |
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| BEGONIA RUBRA. Dark green leaves,  | MIGNONETTE AMELIORATA. Tinted red. 05  |
| flowers scarlet, glossy and wax-like 25  | MIGNONETTE. New hybrid spiral 20   |
| BROWALLIA ELATA CŒRULEA. Blue 05   | MIGNONETTE. New hybrid spiral 20<br>MIGNONETTE. Dwarf compact variety 10   |
| BROWALLIA ELATA ALBA. White 05   | MYOSOTIS ALPESTRIS. Alpine Forget-   |
| CENTAUREA CANDIDISSIMA. White fol 25   | me-not. Flowers bright blue 10   |
| CENTAUREA GYMNOCARPA. White fol., 20   | MVOSOTIS PALIISTRIS True Forget-me   |
| CATACONAL PLANTING CARTA, WHITE IOI., 20   | MYOSOTIS PALUSTRIS. True Forget-menot. Blue flowers  |
| CALCEOLARIA HYBRIDA GRANDIFLORA.   | not. Dide nowers 10  |
| Beautiful large self-colored flowers 50  | PELARGONIUM. Choice fancy varieties 50   |
| CALCEOLARIA. Superb spotted or tigered. 25   | POLYANTHUS DUPLEX. Choice double. 25   |
| CALCEOLARIA NANA, Dwarf spotted var. 50  | POLYANTHUS. Finest English varieties. 20   |
| CALCEOLARIA RUGOSA. Shrubby, for   | PRIMULA ALBA MAGNIFICA. Large  |
| bedding; finest mixed varieties 50   | white flowers with a citron eye1.00  |
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| CARNATION. Choice German mixed 50  | PRIMULA CRISTATA NANA ALBA. Snow-  |
| CARNATION REMONTANT, or monthly 50   | white flowers with a yellow eye 50   |
| CHRYSANTHEMUM INDICUM. Mixed,  | PRIMULA ALBA. White fringed edges 25   |
| large flowering varieties 20   | PRIMULA ALBA RUBRA STRIATA. White,   |
| CHRYSANTHEMUM POMPONE. Mixed,  | red-striped  |
| amall According registing  |  |
| small flowering varieties 20   | PRIMULA ROSEA. Deep rose, fringed 25   |
| CHRYSANTHEMUM BURRIDGEIANUM 05   | PRIMULA KERMESINA. Crimson fringed. 50   |
| CINERARIA. Finest mixed hybrid, dwarf. 25  | PRIMULA ERECTA SUPERBA. Vermilion. 50  |
| CINERARIA. Finest mixed hybrid, tall 20  | PRIMULA PUNCTATA ELEGANTISSIMA.  |
| CYCLAMEN PERSICUM. A charming bul-   | Velvety crimson, edges spotted white 50  |
| bous-rooted plant; mixed colors 25   | PRIMULA SINENSIS. Choice mixed 25  |
| Cyclester ATROPHEDING France door  |  |
| CYCLAMEN ATRORUBRUM. Extra deep  | PRIMULA. William's Superb Strain,  |
| erimson; and ALBUM. Pure white, each 25  | mixed. The best English varieties 50   |
| CYCLAMEN GIGANTEUM, Mixed colors., 50  | PRIMULA. Fern-leaved. Fringed mixed 25   |
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| CONVOLVULUS CANTABRICUS. Fine for  | PRIMULA. Double mixed varieties 50   |
| hanging baskets; flowers rosy purple 10  | PRIMULA JAPONICA. Mixed colors 25  |
| CONVOLVELUE MAIDITANIQUE FOR   | PASSIFLORA. Mixed varieties 20   |
| Convolvulus Mauritanicus. For  |  |
| hanging baskets and vases 10   | SALVIA SPLENDENS. Scarlet sage 10  |
| COLEUS. Choice mixed and golden var 25   | SALVIA SPLENDENS ALBA. A white flow-   |
| Coleus, Dreer's Hybrids. Best var 50   | ered variety 20  |
| DELPHINIUM FORMOSUM, Brilliant blue, 10  | SALVIA ARGENTEA. Silvery 10  |
| DELPHINIUM IMPERIALE, FLO. PL. New   | SALVIA PATENS. Superb blue 25  |
| Emperor Larkspur. Variegated colors. 10  | SMILAX. (Myrsiphyllum Asparagoides.)   |
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| DELPHINIUM NUDICAULE. Spikes of  | \$2.50 per ounce, net 20   |
| dazzling scarlet nowers 10   | STOCKS. Large flowering ten week mixed 10  |
| DIANTHUS. China. Extra double white. 05  | STOCKS. Large flowering ten week pure  |
| DIANTHUS HEDDEWEGI DIADEMATUS.   | white flowers 10   |
| Superb double diadem pink 10   | STOCKS, BOUQUET DWARF. Mixed 20  |
| DIANTHUS. Finest English Picotee, mixed 25   | STOCKS, PERPETUAL DWARF. Mixed 10  |
| FERNS. Choice mixed dwarf varieties 20   | STOCKS, INTERMEDIATE, or AUTUMNAL 10   |
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| FERNS. Choice mixed tree varieties 25  | STOCKS, EMPEROR, OF PERPETUAL 10   |
| GLAUCIUM CORNICULATUM. Recurved  | SWEET WILLIAM. Choice double mixed 10<br>SWEET WILLIAM. Auricula-flowered 10   |
| silvery leaves deeply cut to the rib 10  | SWEET WILLIAM. Auricula-flowered 10  |
| GLOXINIA. Choice hybrid varieties 20   | TORENIA FOURNIERI. Sky-blue-flowers, 20  |
| GLOXINIA CRASSIFOLIA. Superb flowers   | TORENIA BAILLONI, Yellow, with a   |
| (Erecta, Pendula & Horizontalis), each. 25   | TORENIA BAILLONI. Yellow, with a brown throat  |
| GYNERIUM ARGENTEUM. Pampas grass. 10   | TROPÆOLUM LOBBIANUM. Free winter   |
|  | blancia ministra de la mora min 10   |
| HELIOTROPE. Choice mixed   | blooming vines, miniature flowers, mix. 10   |
| LINARIA CYMBALLARIA. (Kenilworth   | TROPÆOLUM GEANT DES BATAILLES.   |
| Ivy.) For hanging baskets, etc 10  | Crimson, showy flowers 10  |
| Ivy.) For hanging baskets, etc 10 LOBELIA ERINUS SPECIOSA. Blue 10   | TACSONIA VAN VOLXEMI. Crim. scarlet 25   |
| LOBELIA ERINUS EMPEROR WILLIAM.  | VERBENA HYBRIDA COCCINEA. Scarlet. 25  |
| Sky blue flowers   | VERBENA HYBRIDA CANDIDISSIMA. A  |
| Sky blue flowers   |  |
| TAUDELLA SNUWBLAKE. FILE WILLE 10  | now pure white variety   |
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| LOBELIA PICTA. Rose, beautiful foliage 20  | new pure white variety   |
| LOBELIA PICTA. Rose, beautiful foliage., 20<br>LOBELIA PUMILA GRANDIFLORA. Blue, 10<br>LOBELIA, Mixed dwarf and trailing yar's, 10 | new pure white variety 25  |

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Among hardy perennial plants, these may be ranked as the finest, and deserving of cultivation in every garden.

CHRYSANTHA (Golden Spurred). Height 4 feet, producing freely an abundance of bright

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Double White Camellia Flowered. Pure white flowers, very desirable as a bouquet flower. Per packet, 20 cents. \$3 per ounce, net.

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This is the beginning of a race of plants which for cut flowers will be unsurpassed. All the colors of the single exist in this new double variety. Per packet, 50 cents.

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Are the admiration of all visitors. Seed saved from the finest double varieties. Seed sown early in autumn will produce plants for blooming next summer. Assorted colors, mixed, per packet, 10 cents. Extra double, pure white, per packet, 20 cents.

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| PANSY, EMPEROR WILLIAM     | 20  | PANSY. | Purple, white-edged 20            |
| PANSY ODIER. Five-blotched |     |        |                                   |
| PANSY, ROI DES NOIRS       | 20  | PANSY. | Pure White 20                     |
| PANSY. NEW, light blue     | 20  | PANSY. | Choice mixed. \$4 per oz., net 20 |
|                            |     |        |                                   |

#### PETUNIAS.

DREER'S EXTRA CHOICE. Mottled white and purple, and white and crimson varieties.

We consider this the finest strain of petunias; our collection has always taken the first premium at the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society's Exhibitions. Per packet, 20 cents:

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| CARNATIONS. Finest varieties.                              | SORTS 12 |      |
| FERNS. Choice varieties (Tree Ferns, 6 varieties, \$1.00.) |          | 1.50 |
| GREENHOUSE PLANTS. Choice selection                        | 25       | 3 00 |
| " " "  |          | 2 00 |
| HOLLYHOCKS. Superb double English                          |          | 1 00 |
| PRIMULA SINENSIS,  |          | 1.00 |
| STOCKS, EMPEROR, OF PERPETUAL                              |          | 1 00 |
| WALL-FLOWER. Fine German double                            |          | 1 00 |
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| Asparagus, Conover's Colossal  | \$0 5  | \$0 10  | \$0 60  |
| Beet, Bastian's Extra Early Red Turnip   | 5      | 15      | 1 25    |
| " " Half Long Blood  | 5      | 15      | 1 25    |
| " Early Blood Turnip   | 5      | 10      | 60      |
| BROCCOLI, Early Purple Cape  | 10     | 50      |         |
| CABBAGE, EARLY OXHEART (extra fine)  | 10     | 30      | 3 00    |
| " DREER'S LARGE EARLY YORK   | 10     | 30      | 3 00    |
| " EARLY JERSEY WAKEFIELD   | 10     | . 60    | 6 50    |
| " Early Improved Flat Brunswick  | 10     | 40      | 4 00    |
| " Large Late Flat Dutch (very fine)  | 10     | 30      | 3 00    |
| CAULIFLOWER, DWARF EARLY ERFURT  | 20     | 1 50    |         |
| " LARGE LE NORMAND, Short Stem   | 20     | 1 50 .  |         |
| " LARGE WALCHEREN  | 10     | 75      |         |
| Carrot, Early Scarlet Horn   | 5      | 15      | 1 50    |
| Celery, Dreer's White Solid  | 10     | 40      | 4 00    |
| " Incomparable Dwarf White Solid   | 10     | 30      | 3 00    |
| CORN SALAD, Large Round-Lewed  | 5      | 10      | . 1 00  |
| Cucumber, Early White-Spined   | 5      | 15      | 1 25    |
| " Long Green Turkey  | 5      | 15      | 1 50    |
| " English Prize Varieties  | 25     |         |         |
| Egg Plant, Large Round Purple  | 10     | 80      | 933.    |
| Herbs, Sweet Marjorum, Sage, Summer Savory, (Thyme, 10c., oz. 50c.).each   | 5      | 25      |         |
| Kale, Green Curled Scotch  | 5      | 10      | 1 00    |
| Kohl-Rabi, or Turnip-Rooted Cabbage, Early Vienna  | 10     | 40      | 4 00    |
| LETTUCE, Early Dutch Butter Spotted  | 30     | 40      | 4 00    |
| " Early White Cabbage  | 10     | 30      | 3 00    |
| " Hanson (largest and finest head lettuce)   | 10     | 30      | . 3 00  |
| Melon, Musk-Netted Citron and Pine Appleeach   | 5      | 10      | 1 00    |
| Hackensuck or Turk's Cap, a fine large variety   | 5      | . 15    | 1 25    |
| " White Japan  | 5      | 15      | 1 25    |
| Casaba, the finest and largest variety   | 5      | 15      | 1 25    |
| Melon, Water-Mountain Sweet  | 5      | 10      | 1 00    |
| " Ice Cream and Orangeeach   | 5      | 15      | 1 25    |
| Nasturtium, running variety for pickling   | 5      | 15      | 1 50    |
| Okra, Dwarf, Long-podded   | . 5    | 10      | 75      |
| Onion, Yellow Strasburg and Yellow Danvers each  | 10     | 50      | 5 00    |
| " White Silver Skip  | 10     | 50      | 5 00    |
| " Red Wethersfield   | 10     | 40      | 410     |
| Parsley, Extra Curled  | , 5    | 15      | 1 25    |
| Parsnip, Large Sugar, or Hollow-Crown  | 5      | 10      | 75      |
| Pepper, Large Sweet Bell   | 10     | 30      | 3 00    |
| Pumpkin, Cashaw  | 5      | 10      | 1 00    |
| RADISH, Early Scarlet and White Olive-Shapedeach   | 5      | 10      | 1 00    |
| " Early White and Red Turnip Rooted each   | 5      | 10      | 80      |
| " Large Yellow and White Turnip-Rootedeach   | 5      | 10      | 1 00    |
| " Scarlet China Winter   | 5      | 10      | 1 00    |
| Salsify, or Oyster Plant   | - 5    | 25      | 2 50    |
| SPINACH, Large Round-Seeded Savoy and Prickly Seed each  | 5      | 10      | 50      |
| Squash, Early Bush, or Patty Pan   | 5      | 10      | 80      |
| " Boston and Hubbard each  | 5      | 10      | 1 00    |
| Tomato, Acme and Paragoneach   | 10     | 50      | . 5 00  |
| " Fejee Island and Arlington each  | 10     | 30      | 3 00    |
| " Trophy, largest variety  | 10     | 40      | 4 00    |
| TURNIP, White Flat Dutch and Purple Top Flat each  | 5      | 10      | 70      |
| " Ruta Baga, Yellow Purple Top and Golden Globeeach  | 5      | 10      | 80      |

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Dreer's best mixed LAWN GRASS SEED of 14 pounds to the bushel, 85.00, by express; per quart, 35 cents, at which price it is mailed free to any part of the United States.
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